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TO THE

STATISTICAL REGISTER

OF THE COLONY OF

NEW SOUTH WALES,

FOR THE YEAR 1886.

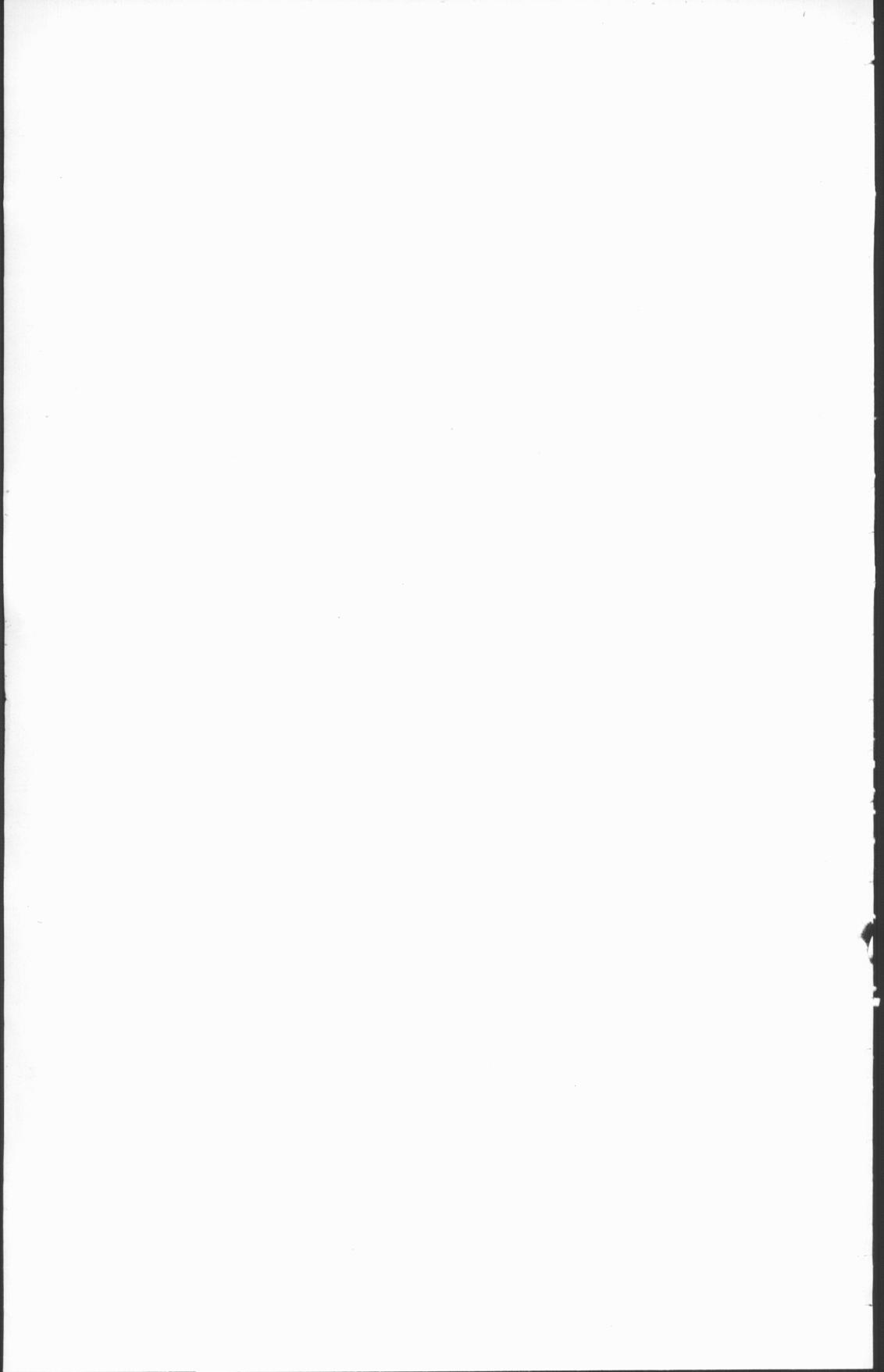
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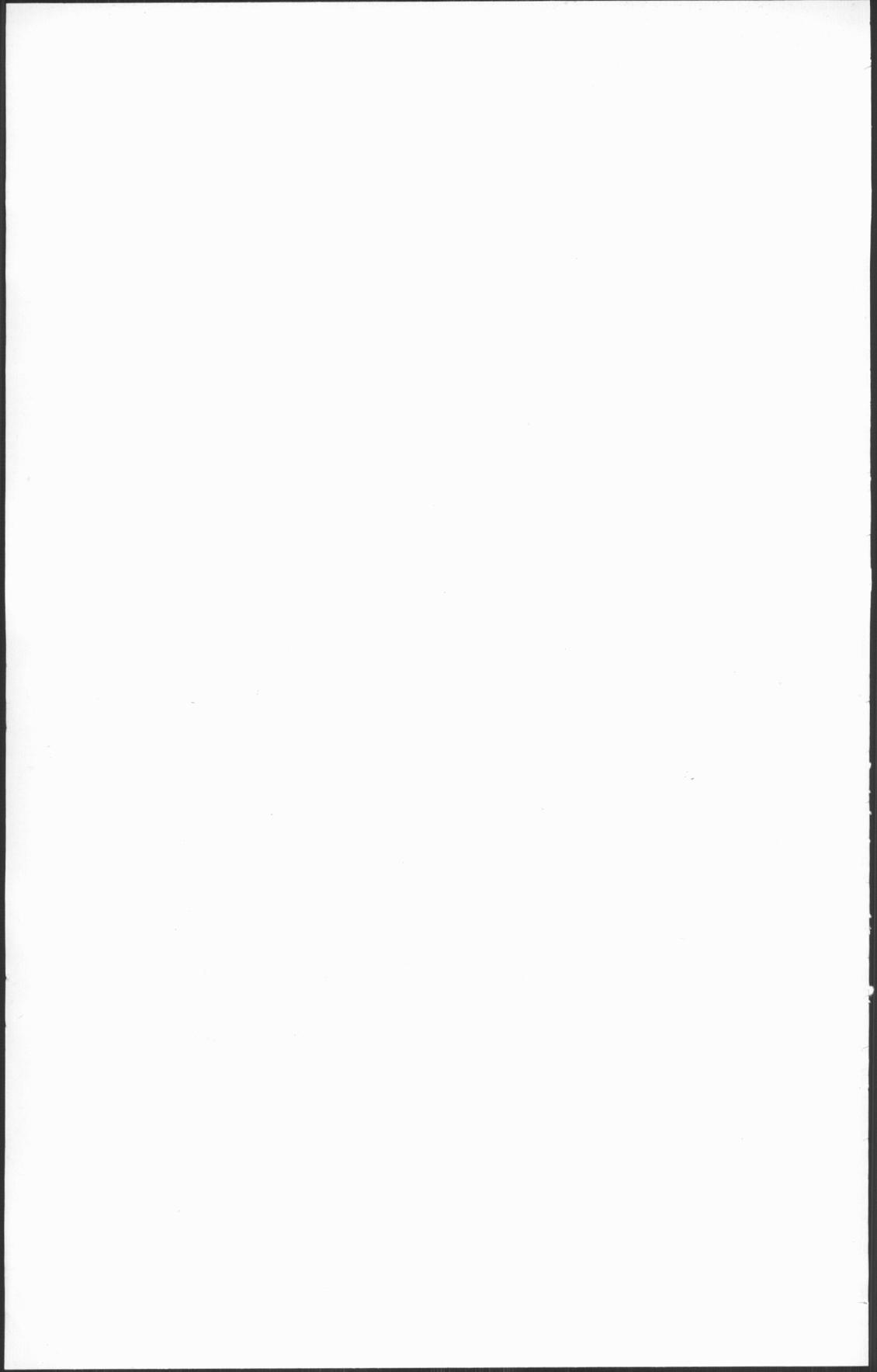


PREFACE.

THE necessity of arranging the Statistics of the Colony in a form more suitable for general reference, than that under which they appear in the Statistical Register, has long been apparent. Last year a Handbook was published containing the gist of the tables found in the larger volume, and the plan has been continued for 1886.

In the present volume all the figures of general interest have been reproduced, though their form and arrangement have been somewhat altered, so as to bring the more important particulars into greater relief. Any errors or omissions which have been discovered in the original tables have been corrected, and some information has been brought down to a later date. Such tables only have been omitted as appeared too lengthy for reproduction, or were included in the Register more with a view of future reference than present utility. The Index has been made fairly comprehensive, and it is hoped the Handbook may be of general use.

Government Statistician's Office,
13th June, 1887.



ERRATA.

Appendix. Railways, 1886. Lines open for traffic, *for "1890" read "1971."* The figures include tramways and private lines. The capital expended and other particulars refer to Government lines only.

Page 72. Specie and Precious Metals. Total for 10 years, *for "1,482,584" read "14,823,584."*

Articles of Education, &c. Total for 10 years, *for "31,622" read "90,893."*

Articles Unclassified. Total for 10 years, *for "91,893" read "131,622."*

Page 81. Tonnage of Vessels entered with Cargoes in 1886, *for "1,760,649" read "1,750,649."*

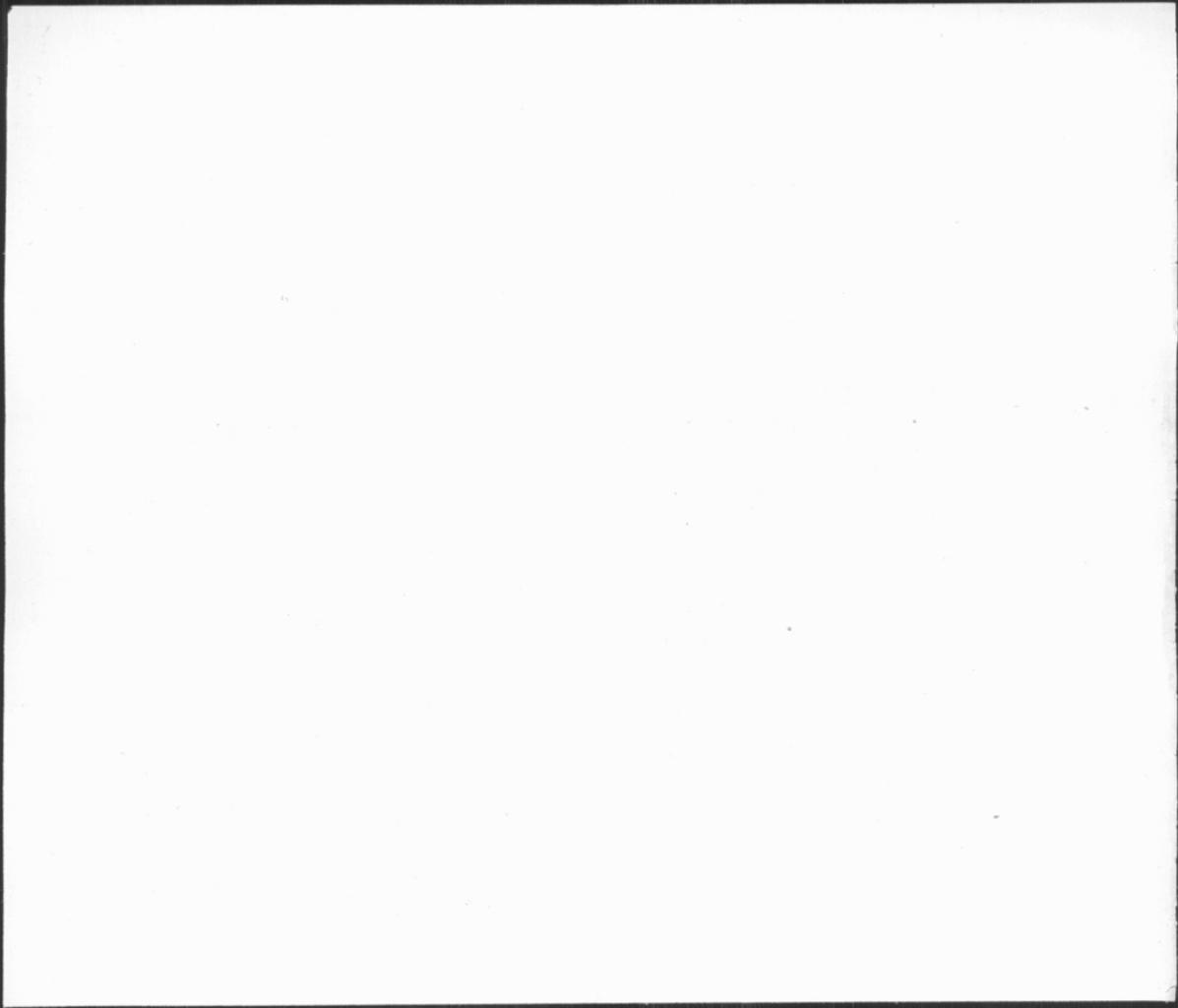
Page 112. Land Revenue: Occupation.

Year 1878	<i>for "249,700" read "249,707"</i>	
;; 1882	<i>"439,353"</i>	<i>"459,353"</i>
;; 1883	<i>"386,600"</i>	<i>"386,589"</i>
;; 1885	<i>"362,096"</i>	<i>"561,900"</i>
;; 1886	<i>"437,516"</i>	<i>"437,517"</i>

Page 150. Value of Wheat Crop 1886, *for "£846,627" read £546,627."*

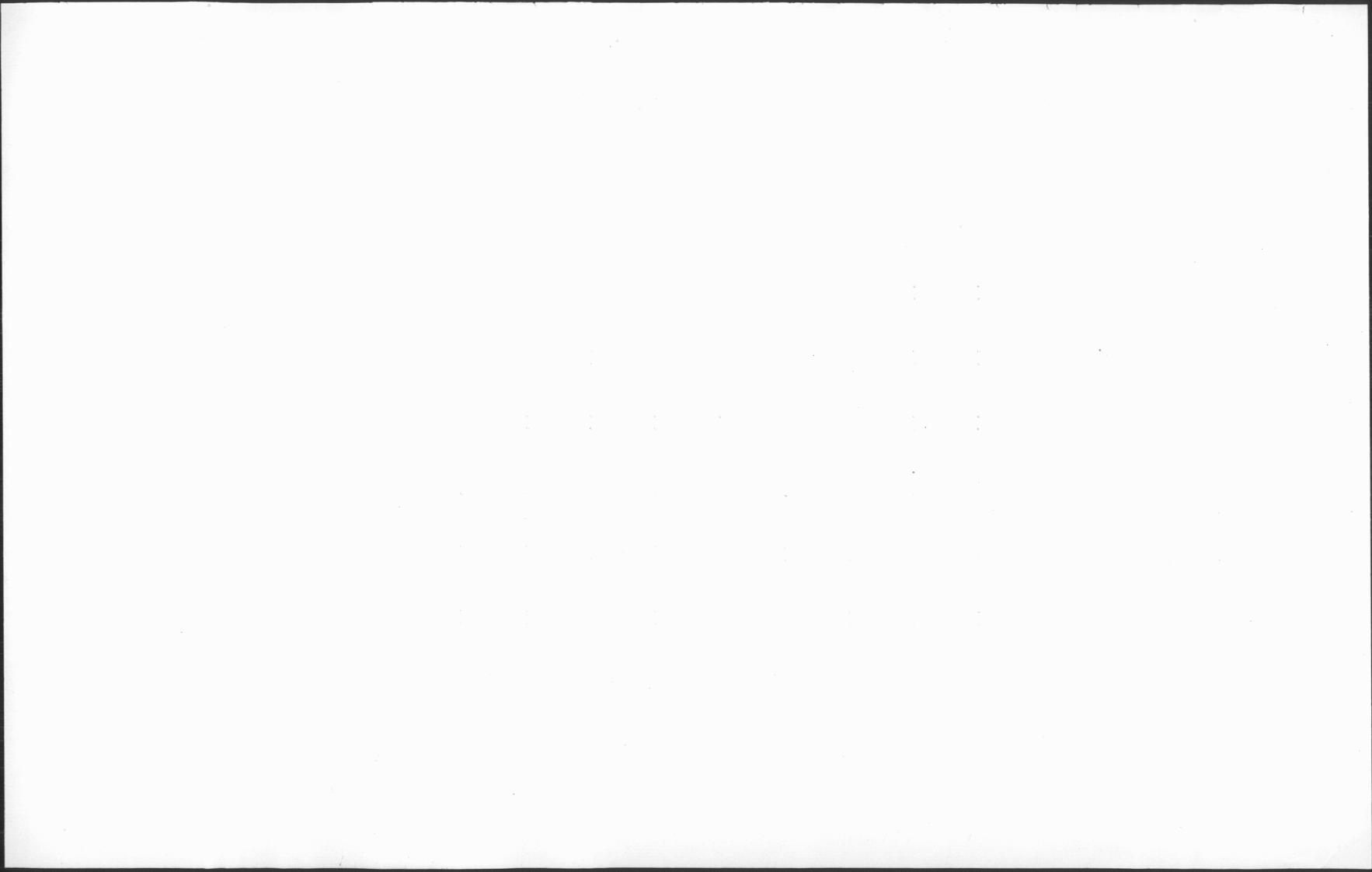
Page 151. Proportion of Land under Wheat, &c., *omit "during 1886-87."*

Page 157. Average Yearly Import, &c., of Wheat. General average for 25 years: Deficiency per head, *for "2·5" read "2·8."*



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PART I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 1.—Estimated Population of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, on 31st December in each year—1870–86.

Year	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	City and Suburbs.	Country Districts.
1870	498,659	75,493	59,085	134,578	364,081
1871	517,758	77,680	63,941	140,621	377,137
1872	535,219	79,455	66,310	145,765	389,454
1873	553,833	81,442	69,964	151,406	402,387
1874	574,943	83,631	74,547	158,178	416,765
1875	594,297	85,267	78,808	164,075	430,222
1876	614,181	87,261	83,253	170,514	443,667
1877	643,707	91,008	91,317	182,325	461,382
1878	671,888	94,228	98,718	192,946	478,942
1879	709,459	98,824	109,448	208,272	501,187
1880	741,893	102,161	118,010	220,171	521,722
1881	778,690	106,578	128,714	235,292	543,398
1882	810,833	110,112	138,119	248,231	562,602
1883	857,744	115,847	152,950	268,797	588,947
1884	903,948	121,441	167,760	289,201	614,747
1885	957,914	127,859	185,793	313,652	644,262
1886	1,001,966	132,846	199,863	332,709	669,257

No. 2.—Population of Colony, &c.—Distribution of Sexes.

Year.	Colony.		City.		Suburbs.		Country.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1870	272,543	226,116	37,349	38,144	28,497	30,588	206,697	157,384
1871	282,846	234,912	38,631	39,049	30,662	32,279	213,553	163,584
1872	292,015	243,204	39,668	39,787	32,440	33,870	219,907	169,547
1873	301,399	252,434	40,774	40,708	34,207	35,757	226,418	175,969
1874	312,843	262,100	42,123	41,508	36,583	37,964	234,137	182,628
1875	323,080	271,217	43,191	42,076	38,756	40,052	241,133	189,089
1876	333,515	280,666	44,440	42,821	40,939	42,314	248,136	195,531
1877	350,329	293,378	46,832	44,176	45,019	46,298	258,478	202,904
1878	365,625	306,263	48,809	45,419	48,358	50,360	268,458	210,484
1879	386,926	322,533	51,748	47,076	53,547	55,901	281,631	219,556
1880	405,277	336,616	53,910	48,251	57,932	60,078	293,435	228,287
1881	426,944	351,746	56,793	49,785	63,746	64,968	306,405	236,993
1882	443,314	367,519	58,828	51,284	67,629	70,490	316,857	245,745
1883	470,009	387,735	62,603	53,244	74,530	78,420	332,876	256,071
1884	495,571	408,377	66,152	55,289	81,194	86,566	348,225	266,522
1885	527,533	430,381	70,498	57,361	90,291	95,502	366,744	277,518
1886	551,343	450,623	73,277	59,569	98,321	101,542	379,745	289,512

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No. 3.—Number of Immigrants who Arrived in the Colony Seaward, 1876–86.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	Total Males.	Total Females.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1876 ...	21,256	6,774	28,030	2,364	1,852	4,216	696	24,316	8,626	32,942
1877 ...	23,638	8,647	32,285	2,895	2,564	5,459	884	27,417	11,211	38,628
1878 ...	22,860	9,181	32,041	2,872	2,481	5,353	2,485	28,217	11,662	39,879
1879 ...	25,738	10,669	36,407	3,137	2,978	6,115	1,979	30,854	13,647	44,501
1880 ...	26,894	10,499	37,393	2,932	2,603	5,535	2,942	32,768	13,102	45,870
1881 ...	26,712	10,770	37,482	3,016	2,760	5,776	4,465	34,193	13,530	47,723
1882 ...	28,416	11,533	39,949	3,264	3,069	6,333	1,007	32,687	14,602	47,289
1883 ...	39,946	16,130	56,076	4,661	4,533	9,194	1,936	46,543	20,663	67,206
1884 ...	42,999	17,850	60,849	4,782	4,664	9,446	2,191	49,972	22,514	72,486
1885 ...	46,918	18,829	65,747	4,996	4,466	9,462	2,929	54,843	23,295	78,138
1886 ...	42,802	16,668	59,470	4,340	3,486	7,826	3,092	50,234	20,154	70,388

NOTE.—No account is kept of the number of persons who arrive overland from the adjacent Colonies.

No. 4.—Number of Emigrants who Departed from the Colony Seaward, 1876–86.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	Total Males.	Total Females.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1876 ...	14,089	4,945	19,034	1,162	787	1,949	940	16,191	5,732	21,923
1877 ...	12,908	5,150	18,058	980	646	1,626	490	14,378	5,796	20,174
1878 ...	13,691	5,393	19,084	1,409	860	2,269	1,560	16,660	6,253	22,913
1879 ...	12,853	5,415	18,268	1,215	655	1,870	557	14,625	6,070	20,695
1880 ...	16,270	7,054	23,324	1,612	747	2,359	876	18,758	7,801	26,559
1881 ...	15,101	6,704	21,805	1,424	667	2,091	929	17,454	7,371	24,825
1882 ...	17,683	7,080	24,763	1,547	778	2,325	884	20,114	7,858	27,972
1883 ...	21,039	8,845	29,884	1,845	1,265	3,110	1,402	24,286	10,110	34,396
1884 ...	25,093	10,390	35,483	2,173	1,560	3,733	1,038	28,304	11,950	40,254
1885 ...	23,385	10,136	33,521	1,865	1,343	3,208	1,726	26,976	11,479	38,455
1886 ...	27,441	9,805	37,246	1,670	1,097	2,767	1,883	30,994	10,902	41,896

NOTE.—No account is kept of the number of persons departing overland to the adjacent Colonies

No. 5.—Number of Immigrants who arrived in the Colony of New South Wales at the Public Expense, 1860-86.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Total.	Birthplaces.				Religion.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Other Countries.	Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Other Religions.			
1860	1,351	1,235	2,586	245	258	503	3,089	966	311	1,780	32	1,525	1,564	.....
1861	794	595	1,389	101	99	200	1,589	259	88	1,240	2	513	1,076	.....
1862	1,172	1,047	2,219	214	198	412	2,631	557	165	1,898	11	962	1,664	5
1863	1,966	1,872	3,838	391	404	795	4,633	1,028	295	3,275	35	1,879	2,754	.....
1864	1,701	1,672	3,373	289	315	604	3,977	732	275	2,951	19	1,616	2,354	7
1865	1,073	1,214	2,287	213	217	430	2,717	495	155	2,041	26	974	1,732	11
1866	501	543	1,044	92	68	160	1,204	190	64	937	13	369	830	5
1867	385	435	820	66	58	124	944	123	57	759	5	302	642	.....
1868	183	215	398	41	31	72	470	99	41	324	6	187	282	1
1869	47	... ...	... ...	... ...	47	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	.....
1870
1871	28	299	327	15	15	30	357	259	10	75	13	281	76	.....
1872	25	271	296	16	14	30	326	240	70	7	9	261	65	.....
1873	13	119	132	3	5	8	140	104	2	34	... ...	108	32	.....
1874	427	411	838	109	133	242	1,080	533	108	433	6	721	359	.....
1875	395	324	719	135	119	254	973	494	163	306	10	675	298	... ...
1876	642	429	1,071	208	184	392	1,463	841	188	407	27	1,086	375	2
1877	2,892	1,627	4,519	743	756	1,499	6,018	3,689	418	1,446	465	4,554	1,403	61
1878	2,091	1,754	3,845	699	646	1,345	5,190	2,864	304	1,840	182	3,417	1,716	57
1879	1,906	2,141	4,047	840	844	1,684	5,731	2,808	700	2,125	98	3,697	2,013	21
1880	1,150	1,195	2,345	414	375	789	3,134	1,205	213	1,648	68	1,649	1,470	15
1881	929	1,029	1,958	327	292	619	2,577	906	211	1,389	71	1,235	1,292	50
1882	1,209	991	2,200	509	524	1,033	3,233	2,017	408	764	44	2,587	626	20
1883	3,370	2,718	6,088	1,154	1,127	2,281	8,369	5,382	937	1,903	147	6,442	1,758	169
1884	2,785	2,606	5,391	1,095	1,082	2,177	7,568	4,626	1,314	1,503	125	6,016	1,315	237
1885	1,871	2,211	4,082	736	736	1,472	5,554	3,249	969	1,207	129	4,370	1,077	107
1886	1,044	1,905	2,949	572	560	1,132	4,081	2,237	580	1,180	84	3,043	975	63
Total	29,903	28,858	58,808	9,227	9,060	18,287	77,095	35,903	8,046	31,472	1,627	48,469	27,748	831

ASSISTED IMMIGRATION.

MARRIAGES.

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No. 6.—Immigration and Emigration of Chinese, 1871–86.

Year.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Year.	Arrivals.	Departures.
1871...	426	463	1879...	1,979	557
1872...	229	597	1880...	2,942	876
1873...	406	400	1881...	4,465	929
1874...	865	933	1882...	1,007	884
1875...	625	1,209	1883...	1,936	1,402
1876...	696	940	1884...	2,191	1,038
1877...	884	490	1885...	2,929	1,726
1878...	2,485	1,560	1886...	3,092	1,883

No. 7.—Marriages and Marriage-rate from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Marriages Registered.	Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.	Year.	Marriages Registered.	Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.
1871...	3,953	7·77	1880...	5,572	7·67
1872...	3,925	7·45	1881...	6,284	8·26
1873...	4,384	8·05	1882...	6,948	8·74
1874...	4,343	7·69	1883...	7,405	8·87
1875...	4,505	7·87	1884...	7,482	8·49
1876...	4,630	7·66	1885...	7,618	8·18
1877...	4,994	7·94	1886...	7,811	7·99
1878...	5,317	8·08	Mean...	.....	8·03
1879...	5,391	7·80			

No. 8.—Mean Marriage-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–86.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	7·66	6·21	8·49	7·57	7·07	7·13	8·25
1877	7·94	6·31	8·66	7·57	6·38	7·79	7·63
1878	8·08	6·20	9·47	6·98	6·50	7·96	8·03
1879	7·80	5·98	9·81	7·49	7·57	7·23	7·60
1880	7·67	6·22	8·69	6·97	7·42	7·38	6·71
1881	8·26	6·79	8·33	7·71	6·60	7·30	6·65
1882	8·74	7·08	8·73	8·56	7·07	8·03	7·07
1883	8·87	7·38	8·49	8·93	6·95	9·01	6·82
1884	8·49	7·63	8·28	8·91	7·11	7·81	6·88
1885	8·18	7·58	7·65	8·92	7·80	7·97	6·74
1886	7·99	7·65	6·31	8·31	7·94	7·26	.....
Mean for 11 years	8·03	6·82	8·44	7·99	7·13	7·71	7·23

DIVORCES.

No. 9.—Percentage of Persons Married signing Register with Marks, 1871–86.

Year.	City.	Suburbs	Country.	Colony.
1871	13·12	10·98	18·92	16·96
1872	11·49	8·23	15·09	13·62
1873	10·73	8·38	16·53	14·26
1874	10·12	7·93	15·85	11·96
1875	10·67	3·28	14·21	12·26
1876	7·63	3·56	16·71	10·47
1877	8·30	5·85	11·10	9·76
1878	7·16	4·59	9·21	8·10
1879	6·42	4·34	8·85	7·58
1880	6·58	3·97	7·31	6·66
1881	5·41	4·24	8·34	6·94
1882	6·17	3·47	6·00	5·63
1883	5·00	4·00	7·28	6·10
1884	3·60	3·12	6·77	5·23
1885	3·76	2·03	5·99	4·74
1886	3·63	1·90	5·00	3·98
Mean	7·49	4·99	11·01	9·02

No. 10.—Number of Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage, and number of Divorced Persons who Remarried, 1875–86.

Year.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Number of Divorced Persons who were Married during year.		Year.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Number of Divorced Persons who were Married during year.	
		Males.	Females.			Males.	Females.
1875...	9	1	.....	1882...	19	2	2
1876...	19	2	1	1883...	14	11	5
1877...	19	1	3	1884...	27	6	6
1878...	11	2	3	1885...	23	9	6
1879...	10	4	2	1886...	32	8	8
1880...	22	1	Total ...	220	47	42
1881...	15	1	5				

BIRTHS.

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No. 11.—Births and Birth-rate during each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Birth-rate per Thousand of Mean Population.
1871	10,326	9,817	20,143	39·63
1872	10,276	9,974	20,250	38·46
1873	10,952	10,492	21,444	37·99
1874	11,323	10,855	22,178	39·29
1875	11,380	11,148	22,528	38·53
1876	11,791	11,507	23,298	38·55
1877	12,292	11,559	23,851	37·92
1878	13,082	12,246	25,328	38·50
1879	13,840	13,093	26,933	38·99
1880	14,424	13,738	28,162	38·80
1881	14,891	14,102	28,993	38·13
1882	15,087	14,615	29,702	37·37
1883	16,014	15,267	31,281	37·49
1884	17,417	16,529	33,946	38·53
1885	17,939	17,104	35,043	37·64
1886	18,700	17,584	36,284	37·03
Mean Birth-rate for 15 years				38·30

BIRTHS.

No. 12.—Proportion of Male to Female Births, 1871–86.

Year.		Male Births to every 100 Female Births.	Year.		Male Births to every 100 Female Births.
1871	...	105·18	1879	...	105·71
1872	...	103·03	1880	...	105·00
1873	...	104·38	1881	...	105·59
1874	...	104·31	1882	...	103·23
1875	...	102·08	1883	...	104·89
1876	...	102·47	1884	...	105·37
1877	...	106·34	1885	...	104·88
1878	...	106·83	1886	...	106·35

No. 13.—Yearly Birth-rate of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Births per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	39·63	38·91	42·62	39·29
1872	38·46	36·63	37·69	38·96
1873	37·99	38·09	40·55	39·44
1874	39·29	37·81	38·57	39·72
1875	38·53	37·44	37·92	38·86
1876	38·55	38·37	37·73	38·74
1877	37·92	38·13	37·18	38·02
1878	38·50	37·61	38·66	38·64
1879	38·99	38·47	39·84	38·91
1880	38·80	37·16	40·61	38·72
1881	38·13	35·84	41·91	37·70
1882	37·37	34·64	44·04	36·29
1883	37·49	33·24	44·89	36·45
1884	38·53	34·80	48·28	36·67
1885	37·64	31·17	47·40	36·18
1886	37·03	29·41	48·22	35·25
Mean ...	38·30	36·11	41·63	37·99

No. 14.—Births in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney and Country Districts, 1870-86.

Year.	City.			Suburbs.			Country.			Colony.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1870...	1,505	1,404	2,909	1,310	1,236	2,546	7,194	6,999	14,193	10,009	9,639	19,648
1871...	1,535	1,445	2,980	1,342	1,259	2,601	7,449	7,113	14,562	10,326	9,817	20,143
1872...	1,487	1,392	2,879	1,226	1,210	2,436	7,563	7,372	14,935	10,276	9,974	20,250
1873...	1,556	1,509	3,065	1,453	1,310	2,763	7,943	7,673	15,616	10,952	10,492	21,444
1874...	1,628	1,493	3,121	1,452	1,335	2,787	8,243	8,027	16,270	11,323	10,855	22,178
1875...	1,595	1,567	3,162	1,481	1,427	2,908	8,304	8,154	16,458	11,380	11,148	22,528
1876...	1,694	1,616	3,310	1,518	1,540	3,058	8,579	8,351	16,930	11,791	11,507	23,298
1877...	1,732	1,667	3,399	1,662	1,584	3,246	8,898	8,308	17,206	12,292	11,559	23,851
1878...	1,764	1,720	3,484	1,848	1,826	3,674	9,470	8,700	18,170	13,082	12,246	25,328
1879...	1,889	1,825	3,714	2,122	2,025	4,147	9,829	9,243	19,072	13,840	13,093	26,933
1880...	1,855	1,880	3,735	2,317	2,302	4,619	10,252	9,556	19,808	14,424	13,738	28,162
1881...	1,895	1,846	3,741	2,702	2,469	5,171	10,294	9,787	20,081	14,891	14,102	28,993
1882...	1,877	1,877	3,754	2,970	2,906	5,876	10,240	9,832	20,072	15,087	14,615	29,702
1883...	1,974	1,782	3,756	3,273	3,261	6,534	10,767	10,224	20,991	16,014	15,267	31,281
1884...	2,119	2,010	4,129	3,945	3,798	7,743	11,353	10,721	22,074	17,417	16,529	33,946
1885...	1,931	1,955	3,886	4,316	4,064	8,380	11,692	11,085	22,777	17,939	17,104	35,043
1886...	1,988	1,846	3,834	4,817	4,481	9,298	11,895	11,257	23,152	18,700	17,584	36,284

BIRTHS.

No. 15.—Excess of Births over Deaths in Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Colony.			City.			Suburbs.			Country.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1871	6,444	7,288	13,736	664	733	1,397	861	857	1,718	4,919	5,702	10,621
1872	5,834	6,948	12,782	485	584	1,069	727	794	1,521	4,622	5,570	10,192
1873	6,353	7,480	13,833	546	719	1,265	915	851	1,766	4,892	5,910	10,802
1874	6,301	7,225	13,526	525	519	1,044	827	761	1,588	4,949	5,945	10,894
1875	5,135	6,622	11,757	209	280	489	651	610	1,261	4,275	5,732	10,007
1876	5,283	6,822	12,105	376	443	819	667	706	1,373	4,240	5,673	9,913
1877	6,415	7,567	13,982	638	761	1,399	987	938	1,925	4,790	5,868	10,658
1878	6,798	7,767	14,565	511	652	1,163	991	1,032	2,023	5,296	6,083	11,379
1879	7,758	8,975	16,733	633	815	1,448	1,276	1,223	2,499	5,849	6,937	12,786
1880	7,786	9,145	16,931	390	605	995	1,185	1,254	2,439	6,211	7,286	13,497
1881	8,138	9,319	17,457	632	863	1,495	1,616	1,449	3,065	5,890	7,007	12,897
1882	7,401	9,395	16,886	466	763	1,229	1,632	1,747	3,379	5,393	6,885	12,278
1883	8,898	10,134	19,032	728	795	1,523	1,857	1,962	3,819	6,313	7,377	13,690
1884	9,092	10,634	19,726	705	889	1,594	2,130	2,222	4,352	6,257	7,523	13,780
1885	9,039	10,722	19,761	480	770	1,250	2,266	2,257	4,523	6,293	7,695	13,988
1886	10,199	11,498	21,697	712	888	1,610	2,654	2,586	5,240	6,823	8,024	14,847

BIRTHS.

ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS.

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No. 16.—Illegitimate Births: Percentage of Total Births in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.	Colony.
1871	6·91	2·34	3·53	3·88
1872	6·32	2·70	3·80	4·02
1873	6·49	3·11	3·86	4·14
1874	7·72	3·15	3·72	4·21
1875	8·22	2·92	3·65	4·20
1876	9·24	2·87	3·28	4·07
1877	8·97	2·37	3·52	4·14
1878	9·09	2·93	3·28	4·03
1879	10·47	2·82	3·72	4·51
1880	11·00	3·25	3·36	4·35
1881	11·36	3·23	3·34	4·35
1882	11·72	2·74	3·28	4·24
1883	11·68	3·62	3·05	4·21
1884	22·76	3·34	3·21	4·40
1885	13·61	3·77	3·37	4·60
1886	13·90	4·00	3·38	4·65

NOTE.—The Benevolent Asylum, Pitt-street, is in the City.

No. 17.—Mean Birth-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–86.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	38·55	33·61	37·71	37·48	33·98	30·11	41·73
1877	37·92	32·17	37·36	36·75	33·07	30·21	41·28
1878	38·50	32·36	38·23	35·77	31·11	32·27	42·14
1879	38·99	32·18	38·96	36·74	34·38	32·05	40·32
1880	38·80	30·75	38·94	36·92	32·35	32·91	40·78
1881	38·13	31·24	38·66	37·19	33·67	33·40	37·95
1882	37·37	31·04	37·40	35·85	35·84	33·50	37·72
1883	37·49	30·02	37·37	36·92	33·87	34·25	36·28
1884	38·53	30·49	38·38	35·75	33·84	35·66	35·91
1885	37·64	30·74	37·70	36·65	35·21	35·08	34·85
1886	37·03	30·48	35·69	37·58	39·21	34·15	.....
Mean for 11 years	38·08	31·37	37·85	36·69	34·23	33·05	38·89

No. 18.—Deaths in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1870–86.

Year.	Colony.			City.			Suburbs.			Country		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1870	4,009	2,549	6,558	846	646	1,492	449	341	790	2,714	1,562	4,276
1871	3,882	2,525	6,407	871	712	1,583	481	402	883	2,530	1,411	3,941
1872	4,442	3,026	7,468	1,002	808	1,810	499	416	915	2,941	1,802	4,743
1873	4,599	3,012	7,611	1,010	790	1,800	538	459	997	3,051	1,763	4,814
1874	5,022	3,630	8,652	1,103	974	2,077	625	574	1,199	3,294	2,082	5,376
1875	6,245	4,526	10,701	1,386	1,287	2,673	830	817	1,647	4,029	2,422	6,451
1876	6,508	4,685	11,193	1,318	1,173	2,491	851	834	1,685	4,339	2,678	7,017
1877	5,877	3,992	9,869	1,094	906	2,000	675	646	1,321	4,108	2,440	6,548
1878	6,284	4,479	10,763	1,253	1,068	2,321	857	794	1,651	4,174	2,617	6,791
1879	6,082	4,118	10,200	1,256	1,010	2,266	846	892	1,648	3,980	2,306	6,286
1880	6,638	4,593	11,231	1,465	1,275	2,740	1,132	1,048	2,180	4,041	2,270	6,311
1881	6,753	4,783	11,536	1,263	983	2,246	1,086	1,020	2,106	4,404	2,780	7,184
1882	7,596	5,220	12,816	1,411	1,114	2,525	1,338	1,159	2,497	4,847	2,947	7,794
1883	7,116	5,133	12,249	1,246	987	2,233	1,416	1,299	2,715	4,454	2,847	7,301
1884	8,325	5,895	12,220	1,414	1,121	2,535	1,815	1,576	3,391	5,096	3,198	8,294
1885	8,900	6,382	15,282	1,451	1,185	2,636	2,050	1,807	3,857	5,399	3,390	8,789
1886	8,501	6,086	14,587	1,266	958	2,224	2,163	1,895	4,058	5,072	3,233	8,335

DEATHS.

No. 19.—Yearly Death-rate of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Deaths per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	12·60	20·67	14·46
1872	14·18	23·03	14·15
1873	13·97	22·37	14·63
1874	15·32	25·16	16·59
1875	18·42	31·65	21·47
1876	18·52	28·87	20·79
1877	15·69	22·43	15·13
1878	16·36	25·05	17·37
1879	14·76	23·47	15·83
1880	15·47	27·26	19·16
1881	15·17	21·50	17·07
1882	16·12	23·30	18·71
1883	14·68	19·76	18·65
1884	16·14	21·36	21·14
1885	16·41	21·14	21·81
1886	14·89	17·06	21·04
Mean	...	15·55	23·37	18·00
				13·39

No. 20.—Death-rate per 1,000 of the Mean Population of Persons over 5 Years of Age in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	8·70	12·87	7·79
1872	9·68	14·89	7·64
1873	10·28	15·79	8·53
1874	10·31	16·30	8·65
1875	11·81	19·43	11·23
1876	12·78	19·70	11·02
1877	10·47	15·38	7·91
1878	10·51	16·20	8·85
1879	9·90	16·35	8·22
1880	10·21	16·61	9·12
1881	10·25	15·42	8·94
1882	10·86	16·38	9·90
1883	9·75	13·11	10·02
1884	10·60	14·26	11·25
1885	10·85	14·51	11·68
1886	9·87	11·32	11·69
Mean	...	10·43	15·52	9·53
				9·60

DEATHS.

No. 21.—Death-rate per 1,000 of the Mean Population of Children under 5 Years of Age in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	32·56	65·35	47·57	24·00
1872	37·16	69·26	46·95	29·58
1873	32·97	59·91	46·02	25·84
1874	41·37	76·51	59·18	32·07
1875	53·64	105·64	80·35	40·37
1876	49·66	86·55	80·71	38·52
1877	44·41	67·42	61·56	37·83
1878	49·39	82·08	73·91	39·77
1879	42·75	69·34	67·13	33·88
1880	45·83	95·30	86·99	31·62
1881	43·63	61·79	71·00	35·21
1882	46·61	70·27	74·93	36·66
1883	43·46	65·32	73·48	33·12
1884	48·92	71·49	82·22	36·98
1885	49·90	69·82	81·50	37·84
1886	45·33	60·91	74·58	33·98
Mean	44·22	73·56	69·25	34·22

No. 22.—Deaths of Children under 1 Year of Age per 1,000 Births, in the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, 1871–86.

Year.	Colony.	City.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	89·9	156·7	122·2	70·5
1872	104·4	176·1	139·1	85·0
1873	92·5	158·8	123·4	74·0
1874	109·4	188·4	144·6	88·3
1875	119·6	193·8	158·5	98·4
1876	112·8	169·4	170·3	91·3
1877	116·7	165·3	146·6	101·5
1878	123·4	186·5	160·8	103·7
1879	107·1	164·7	143·2	88·0
1880	113·6	210·1	177·7	80·4
1881	115·2	162·5	161·6	94·4
1882	131·2	196·3	174·9	106·2
1883	114·7	177·8	154·8	90·9
1884	126·2	186·2	164·2	101·6
1885	131·1	200·7	180·4	101·1
1886	128·3	181·5	172·3	101·9
Mean	114·7	179·7	155·9	92·3

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No. 23.—Mean Death-rate of the Australasian Colonies, 1876–86.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	18·52	17·02	16·28	18·82	14·18	16·54	12·66
1877	15·69	15·80	13·99	17·29	15·70	19·17	11·47
1878	16·36	15·46	15·44	20·41	14·07	15·66	11·01
1879	14·76	14·53	14·09	14·97	14·46	15·18	12·46
1880	15·47	13·70	14·85	13·59	13·24	16·12	11·46
1881	15·17	14·16	14·49	15·02	13·80	14·77	11·13
1882	16·12	15·31	15·15	17·99	14·16	15·79	11·19
1883	14·68	14·18	14·83	18·82	17·93	17·06	11·45
1884	16·14	14·27	15·52	22·97	21·87	15·50	10·39
1885	16·41	14·73	12·47	19·58	17·60	15·40	10·76
1886	14·89	15·15	13·52	16·65	21·56	14·58	.....
Mean for 11 years	15·55	14·93	14·60	17·83	16·23	15·98	10·39

No. 24.—Number and Mode of Death of Suicides, 1876–86.

Year.	Drowning.		Hanging.		Shooting.		Cutting Throat.		Poison.		Wounds on Body.		Other Modes.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1876...	8	3	7	...	4	...	15	2	17	5	...	...	...	...	51	10
1877...	9	3	9	2	6	...	11	...	11	5	6	1	3	...	55	11
1878...	8	2	8	...	2	...	10	...	9	4	3	...	1	1	41	7
1879...	8	1	13	1	9	...	12	1	10	4	1	...	2	...	55	7
1880...	3	4	16	5	8	...	7	3	11	5	2	...	2	...	50	17
1881...	10	2	24	3	13	...	10	1	8	4	...	...	3	...	68	10
1882...	5	4	16	2	7	...	11	...	11	2	2	...	...	...	52	8
1883...	5	4	15	2	6	...	10	1	10	4	2	48	11
1884...	12	1	13	2	6	...	10	1	10	4	3	...	1	...	55	8
1885...	14	...	12	...	5	...	6	...	9	7	2	...	4	...	52	7
1886...	9	1	10	1	6	...	5	...	6	1	2	...	4	1	42	4

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No. 25.—Suicides: Number of, and Proportion to Total Deaths, 1876–86.

Year.	Suicides by Males.		Suicides by Females.		Total Suicides.	
	Number.	Per Thousand of Total Deaths of Males.	Number.	Per Thousand of Total Deaths of Females.	Number.	Per Thousand of Deaths of whole Population
1876	51	7·8	10	2·1	61	5·45
1877	55	9·4	11	2·7	66	6·68
1878	41	6·5	7	1·6	48	4·46
1879	55	9·0	7	1·7	62	6·08
1880	50	7·5	17	3·8	67	5·96
1881	68	10·0	10	2·1	78	6·76
1882	52	6·8	8	1·5	60	4·68
1883	48	6·7	11	2·1	59	4·82
1884	55	6·6	8	1·4	63	4·43
1885	52	5·8	7	1·1	59	3·86
1886	42	4·9	4	0·6	46	3·15

No. 26.—Number of Admissions into Institutions for the Insane, and Proportion to the Mean Population of the Colony, 1871–86.

Year.	Admissions.	Proportion to Population, per 1,000.	Year.	Admissions.	Proportion to Population, per 1,000.
1871	340	·66	1880	476	·65
1872	303	·57	1881	494	·64
1873	342	·62	1882	473	·59
1874	330	·58	1883	476	·57
1875	356	·60	1884	493	·55
1876	360	·59	1885	567	·60
1877	457	·72	1886	567	·57
1878	424	·64	Mean rate per 1,000 for period		·61
1879	440	·63

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No. 27.—Number of Insane Persons in Hospitals on the 31st December of each year from 1871 to 1886, and Proportion per 1,000 of the Total Population.

Year.	Number of Insane.	Proportion of Insane per 1,000.	Year.	Number of Insane.	Proportion of Insane per 1,000.		
1871	1,387	2·67	1880	... ...	2,099	2·82
1872	1,440	2·69	1881	... ...	2,218	2·84
1873	1,526	2·75	1882	... ...	2,307	2·84
1874	1,588	2·76	1883	... ...	2,403	2·87
1875	1,697	2·85	1884	... ...	2,524	2·89
1876	1,743	2·83	1885	... ...	2,643	2·89
1877	1,829	2·84	1886	... ...	2,717	2·71
1878	1,916	2·85	Mean rate for period		.....	2·81
1879	2,011	2·83				

No. 28.—Number of Persons Vaccinated by the Government Vaccinators, in the Colony of New South Wales, during the year 1886.

Districts.	Under 1 year of age.	From 1 to 5 years.	From 5 to 10 years.	From 10 years upwards.	Total.
Sydney and Suburbs ...	116	190	146	.....	452
Country Districts ...	229	403	372	187	1,191
General Total ...	345	593	518	187	1,643

PART II.—CRIME AND CIVIL JUSTICE.

No. 29.—Number of Persons apprehended for various Classes of Offences during the year 1886, and the manner in which the Cases were dealt with.

Offences.	Total Apprehensions.	How disposed of.		
		Dismissed.	Summarily Convicted.	Committed.
Against the person	3,043	747	1,919	377
Against property, with violence	261	88	13	160
Against property, without violence	4,974	1,445	2,819	710
Forgery and offences against the currency	158	20	1	137
Against good order, including drunkenness ...	38,557	4,169	34,352	36
Not included in the preceding	1,861	756	1,076	29
	48,854	7,225	40,180	1,449

NOTE.—The number of persons tried during the year was 1,613; of these, 1,594 were committed for trial in 1886. The number committed after arrest was 1,449, as shown above.

No. 30.—Ages of Persons apprehended for various Classes of Offences during the year 1886.

Offences.	Ages.							Total Apprehensions.
	Under 15.	15-20.	20-30.	30-40.	40-50.	50-60.	Over 60.	
Against the person...	14	268	1,360	729	448	163	61	3,043
Against property, with violence ...	10	41	113	55	25	13	4	261
Against property, without violence	283	702	1,966	1,061	564	240	158	4,974
Forgery and offences against the currency	6	20	57	39	17	7	12	158
Against good order, including drunkenness	484	1,778	10,524	10,307	8,614	4,450	2,400	38,557
Not included in the preceding	5	76	624	572	366	152	66	1,861
	802	2,885	14,644	12,763	10,034	5,025	2,701	48,854

No. 31.—Birthplaces of Persons Apprehended by the New South Wales Police—1886.

Offences.	Total Apprehensions.	New South Wales.	Other Australian Colonies.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	China.	Other Foreign Countries.
Against the person	3,043	1,189	197	624	538	170	64	23	54	43	141
Against property, with violence	261	102	36	76	13	12	6	2	2	1	11
Against property, without violence	4,974	2,071	445	1,013	730	233	84	32	84	55	227
Forgery and offences against the currency	158	71	17	34	34	14	4	.....	2	4	11
Against good order	38,557	9,842	1,761	9,066	11,744	3,234	539	200	456	182	1,533
Not included above	1,861	473	94	530	400	124	34	45	13	45	114
Total	48,854	13,748	2,550	11,343	13,439	3,777	727	272	645	316	2,037

No. 32.—Religions of Persons Apprehended by the New South Wales Police—1886.

Offences.	Church of England.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyans.	Independents.	Baptists.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholic.	Jews.	Pagan.	Other Persuasions.	No Religion.	Unknown.
Against the person	1,161	228	51	1	12	61	1,356	20	48	11	89	5
Against property, with violence	123	22	6	.....	1	1	94	3	4	.....	6	1
Against property, without violence	2,113	339	99	2	13	70	2,128	45	66	16	76	7
Forgery and offences against the currency	85	3	3	3	.....	1	2	55	3	.....	1	.....
Against good order	13,809	3,624	644	36	73	638	18,195	73	174	120	1,090	72
Not included above	820	169	40	2	5	47	682	4	31	14	35	12
Total	18,111	4,385	843	41	105	819	22,510	148	328	161	1,306	97

APPREHENSIONS.

No. 33.—Degree of Education of Persons Arrested, 1876–86.

Year.		Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior Education.	Total Arrests.
1876	...	3,841	1,320	21,832	.....	26,993
1877	...	3,842	1,269	23,238	.....	28,349
1878	...	4,017	1,529	25,172	.....	30,718
1879	...	3,493	1,230	27,984	153	32,860
1880	...	4,065	1,197	30,350	162	35,774
1881	...	4,034	1,123	36,083	162	41,402
1882	...	4,059	964	34,553	182	39,758
1883	...	3,859	1,058	38,071	189	43,177
1884	...	3,871	1,096	41,030	202	40,199
1885	...	3,925	937	43,185	214	48,261
1886	...	4,142	916	43,588	208	48,854

No. 34.—Percentage Arrested, of each degree of Education, 1876–86.

Year.		Neither read nor write	Read only.	Read and write, and Superior Education.
1876	...	14·22	4·89	80·89
1877	...	13·55	4·47	81·98
1878	...	13·07	4·97	81·96
1879	...	10·62	3·74	85·64
1880	...	11·36	3·34	85·30
1881	...	9·74	2·71	87·55
1882	...	10·20	2·42	87·38
1883	...	8·93	2·45	88·62
1884	...	8·37	2·37	89·26
1885	...	8·13	1·94	89·93
1886	...	8·49	1·87	89·64

No. 35.—Education, Ages, and Birthplaces of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness, 1879–86.

Year.	Total Arrests.	Education.			Ages.										Birthplaces.																						
		Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior Education.	Under 15 years.		15 to 20 years.		20 to 30 years.		30 to 40 years.		40 to 50 years.		50 to 60 years.		Over 60 years.		New South Wales.		Other Australian Colonies.		England.		Ireland.		Scotland.		Other British Possessions.		France.		Germany.		China.		Other Foreign Countries.
1879...	17,715	1,593	563	15,500	59	12	632	4,417	5,432	3,996	1,959	1,267	3,481	395	4,614	6,503	1,606	233	141	214	50	478															
1880...	18,777	1,796	491	16,431	59	10	547	4,931	5,770	4,111	2,153	1,255	3,733	357	4,983	6,866	1,615	178	126	230	22	567															
1881...	22,560	1,763	418	20,324	55	18	538	5,870	6,616	5,384	2,630	1,504	4,523	551	5,958	8,259	1,860	275	203	303	56	572															
1882...	21,393	1,831	422	19,074	66	9	464	5,182	6,152	5,242	2,700	1,644	4,397	590	5,473	7,324	2,077	169	142	308	35	878															
1883...	23,178	1,698	492	20,909	79	17	533	5,958	6,802	5,441	2,876	1,551	4,954	630	5,748	8,224	1,968	266	197	301	39	801															
1884...	24,438	1,639	507	22,202	90	21	557	6,236	6,983	6,046	3,068	1,587	5,841	829	5,897	8,285	2,286	303	146	230	29	859															
1885...	26,291	1,822	459	23,914	96	13	554	6,820	7,722	6,474	2,991	1,717	5,479	1,033	6,734	8,866	2,457	364	132	329	40	857															
1886...	26,310	1,844	424	23,961	81	5	548	6,551	7,698	6,582	3,344	1,582	5,432	947	6,528	9,010	2,449	374	137	322	28	1,083															

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No. 36.—Arrests for Drunkenness: Convictions and Discharges, 1876–86.

Year.		Arrests.	Convictions.	Discharges.	Percentage of Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Discharges to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Convictions to whole Population.
1876	...	16,171	12,517	3,654	77·4	22·6	2·07
1877	...	16,696	13,479	3,217	80·7	19·3	2·14
1878	...	17,224	14,639	2,385	84·9	15·1	2·22
1879	...	17,715	15,394	2,321	86·8	13·2	2·22
1880	...	18,777	15,996	2,781	85·1	14·9	2·20
1881	...	22,560	20,748	1,812	91·9	8·1	2·72
1882	...	21,393	18,593	2,800	86·9	13·1	2·34
1883	...	23,178	20,991	2,187	90·5	9·5	2·52
1884	...	24,438	21,957	2,481	89·8	10·2	2·49
1885	...	26,291	23,782	2,509	90·4	9·6	2·55
1886	...	26,310	23,758	2,552	90·3	9·7	2·43

No. 37.—Number of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness for the period 1876–86, with Percentage of Total Population.

Year.		Total Arrests.	Males.	Females.	Percentage of Total Arrests to whole Population.	Percentage of Males arrested to Total Male Population.	Percentage of Females arrested to Total Female Population.
1876	...	16,171	12,546	3,625	2·67	3·82	1·31
1877	...	16,696	12,726	3,970	2·65	3·72	1·38
1878	...	17,224	13,166	4,108	2·61	3·67	1·37
1879	...	17,715	13,574	4,141	2·56	3·61	1·31
1880	...	18,777	14,801	3,976	2·58	3·72	1·21
1881	...	22,560	18,200	4,360	2·96	4·36	1·26
1882	...	21,393	17,574	3,819	2·69	4·03	1·06
1883	...	23,178	19,244	3,934	2·77	4·21	1·04
1884	...	24,438	20,261	4,177	2·77	4·19	1·04
1885	...	26,291	21,944	4,347	2·82	4·29	1·03
1886	...	26,310	21,879	4,431	2·69	4·06	1·01

No. 38.—Number of Persons Arrested for Habitual Drunkenness, with Percentage of Arrests to Total Arrests for Drunkenness, 1879–86.

Year.	No.	Percentage of Arrests to total Arrests for Drunkenness.	Year.	No.	Percentage of Arrests to total Arrests for Drunkenness.
1879...	136	0·76	1883...	100	0·43
1880...	107	0·56	1884...	108	0·44
1881...	101	0·54	1885...	116	0·44
1882...	141	0·65	1886...	113	0·43

No. 39.—Number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts, and manner in which they were dealt with—1886.

Offences.	Total number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts.	Number of Persons.			
		Discharged for want of Prosecution or for want of Evidence.	Whose Cases were Dismissed on the merits.	Summarily Convicted.	Committed for Trial.
Against the person	10,135	3,071	1,429	5,187	448
Against property	7,535	1,743	1,139	3,676	977
Other cases*	60,833	60,809	3,450	53,405	169
Total number of persons summoned or apprehended	81,503	11,623	6,018	62,268	1,594

NOTE.—Includes cases heard *ex parte*, but not civil cases.

* Not including cases brought up for lunacy.

No. 40.—Number of Summary Convictions and kind of Punishments inflicted for various Offences by the Benches of Magistrates in 1886.

Punishment.	Total number of Punishments.	For Offences against the Person.	For Offences against Property.	For other Offences.
Fine	35,280	3,155	1,219	30,906
Imprisonment, in lieu of fine or surety	20,702	1,067	450	19,185
Peremptory imprisonment	4,254	545	1,850	1,859
Whipping	1	1	.....	.....
Imprisonment, with whipping	3	2	.....	1
Bound over, with or without sureties	417	249	36	132
Other punishments	1,611	168	121	1,322
Total	62,268	5,187	3,676	53,405

NOTE.—Includes summons cases.

No. 41.—Offences, Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals, for the period 1876-86.

	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	
The number of Offences reported to the Police	19,111	21,604	24,649	23,479	26,127	28,806	29,125	31,162	35,548	34,210	37,568	
The number of persons apprehended by the Police, or summoned before the Magistrates.....	45,105	47,739	53,325	53,870	57,784	66,600	65,936	72,231	75,680	77,092	81,503	
The number of summary Convictions.	{ 1. For Offences against the Person 2. For Offences against Property... 3. For other Offences	3,931	4,567	5,014	4,885	5,151	5,239	5,350	6,257	5,810	5,159	5,187
The number of Convictions in the Supe- rior Courts.	{ 1. For Offences against the Person 2. For Offences against Property... 3. For other Offences	184	228	188	210	204	164	188	239	289	206	284
*The number of persons Acquitted.	{ 1. In the Inferior Courts, 2. In the Superior Courts.....	5,575	5,431	5,178	5,688	5,223	5,569	5,514	5,840	6,219	6,004	6,018
		377	369	549	418	404	400	521	450	482	447	433

* Not including persons discharged for want of evidence or want of prosecution.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

No. 42.—Number of Cases at the Courts of Quarter Sessions in each District during the year 1886.

District.	Felonies.				Misdemeanours.				Totals.			
	Commititals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.	Commititals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.	Commititals.	Trials.	Convictions.	Acquittals.
Metropolitan and Hunter	618	514	344	170	125	113	98	15	743	627	442	185
Southern	118	102	54	48	30	27	21	6	148	129	75	54
Northern	90	75	47	28	25	24	22	2	115	99	69	30
Western	128	107	81	26	17	13	13	.....	145	120	94	26
South-western	91	83	60	23	18	18	14	4	109	101	74	27
North-western	96	80	55	25	17	15	7	8	113	95	62	33
Total...	1,141	961	641	320	232	210	175	35	1,373	1,171	816	355

QUARTER SESSIONS.

No. 43.—Number and Description of Offences for which persons were tried at the Courts of Quarter Sessions during the year 1886.

Offences.							Commit- tals.	Trials.	Convic- tions.	Aequit- tals.
FELONIES.										
Robbery	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	4	....
Robbery with violence	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	38	14	24
Robbery in company	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	....	2
Robbery being armed	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	....
Garrotting	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	....
Larceny	...	...	...	...	...	...	253	214	144	70
Stealing from the person	...	...	...	...	...	...	62	56	30	26
Stealing in a dwelling-house	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	40	34	6
Receiving stolen property	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19	18	1
Embezzlement	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	29	19	10
Obtaining property by false pretences	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	65	50	15
Forgery	...	...	...	...	...	...	115	92	76	16
Arson	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10	7	3
Burglary	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10	3	7
Housebreaking	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	61	52	9
Entering a dwelling at night with intent to commit felony therein	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	2	....
Being found at night with housebreaking implements in possession	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	3	....
Horse-stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	59	41	18
Cattle-stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	15	6	9
Sheep-stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	32	14	18
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	7	3
Maliciously inflicting grievous bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	34	24	10
Maliciously wounding cattle	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	6	4
Shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	....	1
Bigamy	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10	10	....
Perjury	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6	1	5
Making a false statement for insertion in Register of Births, Deaths, or Marriages	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	....	....	....
Sodomy	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	5	1
Bestiality	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	1	4
Assault with intent to rob	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	5	3
Assault with intent to commit rape	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	18	7	11
Assault, indecent, on a girl under 14 years of age	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13	5	8
Assault with intent carnally to know a girl under 10 years of age	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	....
Indecent assault on a male person	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	....
Assault on wife, occasioning actual bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	....
Assault, occasioning actual bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	7	1	6
Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	....	5
Maliciously wounding	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	52	37	15
Shooting at with intent to murder	2	1	1
Attempting to murder	1	1	1

QUARTER SESSIONS.

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No. 43—*continued*.

Offences.	Commit-tals.	Trials.	Convic-tions.	Acquit-tals.
Attempt to discharge loaded firearms with intent, &c. ...	I	I	I
Conspiracy to defraud	I	.....	.....	.....
Fraudulently appropriating property	I	I	I	.....
Malicious injury to property	8	5	.....	5
Attempt to commit arson	I	I	I	.....
Attempt to set fire to a vessel	I	I	.....	I
Maliciously setting fire to a fence	3	3	2	I
Maliciously setting fire to grass	2	2	I	I
Maliciously destroying property in process of manufacture ...	I	I	.....	I
Falsely personating with intent to obtain property	I	.....	.....	.....
Sending a letter threatening to destroy property	I	I	I	.....
Having in possession, without lawful excuse, instruments for making spurious coin	I	.....	.....	.....
Wounding with intent to prevent lawful detainer	I	I	I	.....
TOTAL FELONIES	I,141	961	641	320
MISDEMEANOURS.				
Assault	36	34	32	2
Assault on constable	2	2	.....	2
Assault, indecent	15	13	10	3
Attempt to commit felony	17	15	9	6
Attempting to commit suicide	49	46	43	3
Abduction	8	4	2	2
Concealing birth	6	6	5	I
Escape	8	8	8	.....
Illegally pawning	18	18	18	.....
Keeping a bawdy house	11	10	7	3
Personating at an election	2	2	I	I
Riot	6	6	I	5
Unlawfully using cattle	10	10	10	.....
Uttering counterfeit coin	21	17	14	3
Indecent exposure	2	2	2	.....
Wife desertion	I	I	I	.....
Disobeying an order of Court	3	3	3	.....
Libel	I	I	I	.....
Fraudulent insolvency	4	3	2	I
Attempt to obtain property by false pretences	I	I	I	.....
Fraudulently retaining property	I	I	I	.....
Illegally maintaining a lottery	3	3	3	.....
Disturbing a congregation	7	4	I	3
TOTAL NUMBER OF MISDEMEANOURS ...	232	210	175	35
TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES	I,373	I,171	816	355

No. 44.—Results of Indictments in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions—1886.

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How the Cases tried in the Superior Courts ended.	Total.	Murder, other than Wife and Child Murder.	The Returns below include the Indictments for Attempts and Conspiracies to Commit the several Offences.												
			Manslaughter.	Attempt at Murder.	Wife Murder.	Child Murder.	Concealment of Birth.	Abortion.	Rape.	Unnatural Crimes.	Other Offences against the Person.	Malicious injuries to Property.	Robbery with violence.	Other Offences against Property.	Miscellaneous Offences.
Supreme and Circuit Courts—															
Judgment for the Crown	141	4	11	3	1	2	1	...	*12	5	27	3	...	63	9
Judgment for the Prisoner	78	3	9	2	...	4	2	...	8	1	8	3	1	30	7
Cases failing for want of prosecution	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	2	...	...	8	2
Prisoner found insane	4	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Courts of Quarter Sessions—	240	10	20	5	1	7	3	2	23	6	37	6	1	101	18
Judgment for the Crown	816	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	†9	7	183	12	14	559	27
Judgment for the Prisoner	355	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	†10	5	60	12	24	221	17
Cases failing for want of prosecution	195	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	31	5	2	141	15
Prisoner found insane	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	4	...	...
SUMMARY :—	1,373	...	5	...	...	...	6	...	19	13	276	30	40	925	59
Judgment for the Crown	957	4	11	3	1	2	6	...	*21	12	210	15	14	622	36
Judgment for the Prisoner	433	3	14	2	...	4	3	...	18	6	68	15	25	251	24
Cases failing for want of prosecution	212	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1	33	5	2	149	17	...
Prisoner found insane	11	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	4	...	...
General Total	1,613	10	25	5	1	7	9	2	42	19	313	36	41	1,026	77

* Nine convicted together.

† Attempts at.

NOTE.—Where two or more persons have been convicted for the same offence, they have been entered as separate cases.

DISPOSAL OF CASES.

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No. 45.—Ultimate Disposal of the Cases of all Persons Arrested, 1876–86.

Year.	Arrests.	Summary Convictions and Acquittals in Inferior Courts.*		Committals.*	Convicted and Acquitted in the Superior Courts.	
	Total number of Arrests.	Summary Convictions.	Acquitted or Discharged.		Committed for Trial.	Acquitted after Commitment (including those Discharged.)
1876 ...	26,993	19,465	6,263	1,265	810	455
1877 ...	28,349	20,721	6,256	1,372	817	555
1878 ...	30,718	23,216	5,818	1,684	986	698
1879 ...	32,860	25,506	5,759	1,595	1,090	505
1880 ...	35,774	27,523	6,569	1,682	1,152	530
1881 ...	41,402	33,063	6,748	1,591	1,066	525
1882 ...	39,758	31,384	6,789	1,585	1,065	520
1883 ...	43,177	35,437	6,154	1,586	1,012	574
1884 ...	46,199	37,415	7,205	1,579	928	651
1885 ...	48,261	40,002	6,792	1,467	785	682
1886 ...	48,854	40,180	7,225	1,449	957	492

* Persons summoned not included.

No. 46.—Percentage of the whole Population Arrested and Convicted; and of Persons Arrested, Summarily dealt with; also, of those Convicted and Acquitted after Commitment, 1876–86.

Year.	Arrests.	Summarily Convicted.	Summarily Acquitted or Discharged.	Committals.	Convicted in the Superior Courts.	Acquitted in the Superior Courts.	Ultimately Convicted.
	Percentage of Arrests to the whole Population.	Percentage of Summary Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of those Acquitted or Discharged to Total Arrests.		Percentage to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Committals.	Percentage to the whole Population.
1876 ...	4·46	72·12	23·20	4·68	64·03	35·97	3·35
1877 ...	4·50	73·09	22·07	4·83	59·54	40·46	3·42
1878 ...	4·66	75·58	18·94	5·48	58·55	41·45	3·67
1879 ...	4·75	77·63	17·52	4·85	68·34	31·66	3·85
1880 ...	4·92	76·94	18·36	4·70	68·49	31·51	3·80
1881 ...	5·44	79·86	16·29	3·85	67·00	33·00	4·48
1882 ...	5·00	78·94	17·07	3·99	67·19	32·81	4·08
1883 ...	5·17	82·08	14·26	3·66	63·81	36·19	4·36
1884 ...	5·24	80·99	15·59	3·42	58·77	41·23	4·35
1885 ...	5·18	82·89	14·07	3·04	53·52	46·48	4·38
1886 ...	4·99	82·24	14·79	2·97	66·04	33·96	4·21

EXECUTIONS—PRISONS.

No. 47.—Number of Criminals Executed in each year, from 1876 to 1886.

Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.
1876	4	1880	4	1884	2
1877	2	1881	2	1885	3
1878	1	1882	3	1886	2
1879	1	1883	1		

No. 48.—Prison Accommodation provided in the various Gaols of the Colony, 1886.

Gaol, where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one prisoner sleeps in each cell.	Gaol, where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one prisoner sleeps in each cell.
GAOLS.					
Darlinghurst ...	346	754	Coonamble ...	5	20
Albury ...	24	72	Cootamundra ...	2	30
Armidale ...	24	68	Forbes ...	4	12
Bathurst ...	38	123	Glen Innes ...	5	20
Berrima ...	75	120	Grenfell ...	4	12
Deniliquin ...	16	80	Gundagai ...	6	20
Dubbo ...	8	35	Gunnedah ...	4	16
Goulburn ...	182	546	Hillston ...	4	10
Grafton ...	14	42	Inverell ...	6	18
Hay ...	12	58	Kempsey West ...	2	4
Maitland ...	110	182	Moree ...	2	7
Mudgee ...	24	72	Murrurundi ...	4	12
Parramatta ...	223	514	Muswellbrook ...	4	10
Tamworth ...	12	64	Narrabri ...	6	36
Trial Bay ...	64	64	Orange ...	8	34
Wagga Wagga ...	11	33	Port Macquarie ...	10	30
Wollongong ...	11	33	Queanbeyan ...	6	20
Yass ...	16	48	Singleton ...	4	20
Young ...	12	42	Taree ...	4	12
POLICE GAOLS.					
Bega ...	4	7	Tenterfield ...	6	18
Bingera ...	4	20	Walgett ...	6	30
Bourke ...	12	36	Warialda ...	4	20
Braidwood ...	12	36	Wellington ...	5	20
Campbelltown ...	5	10	Wentworth ...	12	42
Casino ...	5	21	Wilcannia ...	5	21
Cooma ...	5	15	Windsor ...	12	36
Coonabarabran ...	5	20	GENERAL TOTAL...		3,645

SUPREME COURT.

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No. 49.—Number of Convictions in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions, for the period 1876–86.

Year.	Felonies.			Misdemeanours.			Total Number of Convictions.
	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	
1876 ...	163	439	602	58	150	208	810
1877 ...	133	418	551	51	215	266	817
1878 ...	188	465	653	88	245	333	986
1879 ...	176	572	748	66	276	342	1,090
1880 ...	142	674	816	58	278	336	1,152
1881 ...	116	618	734	66	266	332	1,066
1882 ...	127	587	714	44	307	351	1,065
1883 ...	91	611	702	47	263	310	1,012
1884 ...	105	598	703	50	174	224	927
1885 ...	103	524	627	47	111	158	785
1886 ...	110	641	751	31	175	206	957

No. 50.—Ages of all Persons Sentenced to Labour, Imprisonment, or Solitary Confinement, during the year 1886.

Ages.	Sentenced to Labour.			Sentenced to Imprisonment.			Sentenced to Solitary Confinement.			Total Persons Sentenced.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 10 years ...	...	...	...	9	11	20	...	...	...	9	11	20
10 to 20 ...	358	87	445	468	196	664	2	...	2	828	283	1,111
20 to 30 ...	1,441	278	1,719	2,613	894	3,507	3	...	3	4,057	1,172	5,229
30 to 40 ...	896	203	1,099	2,373	1,065	3,438	...	...	...	3,269	1,268	4,537
40 to 50 ...	480	151	631	1,726	844	2,570	...	...	...	2,206	995	3,201
50 and upwards ...	548	115	663	1,738	538	3,276	...	...	...	2,286	653	2,939
Totals ...	3,723	834	4,557	8,927	3,548	12,475	5	...	5	12,655	4,382	17,037

No. 51.—Persons Committed to Gaol, and the number with previous Convictions recorded against them, during each year, for the period 1876–86.

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Year.	Total Offenders.			Committed for the first offence.			Committed for second offence.			Committed for third offence.			Committed more than three times.			Total number Committed more than once.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1876 ...	6,862	3,330	10,192	5,055	2,619	7,674	652	110	762	364	86	450	791	515	1,306	1,807	711	2,518
1877 ...	7,047	3,831	10,878	5,007	2,971	7,978	667	207	874	381	87	468	993	566	1,559	2,040	860	2,900
1878 ...	7,641	4,106	11,747	5,483	3,148	8,631	869	263	1,132	417	101	518	872	594	1,466	2,158	958	3,116
1879 ...	9,151	4,087	13,238	7,093	3,054	10,147	807	269	1,076	426	120	546	825	644	1,469	2,058	1,033	3,091
1880 ..	9,544	4,035	13,579	7,597	3,208	10,805	940	220	1,160	400	117	517	607	490	1,097	1,947	827	2,774
1881 ...	11,266	4,532	15,798	9,115	3,624	12,739	1,061	269	1,330	413	133	546	677	506	1,183	2,151	908	3,059
1882 ...	10,326	3,918	14,244	8,224	3,044	11,268	998	268	1,262	448	146	594	646	462	1,108	2,092	876	2,968
1883 ...	11,309	4,096	15,405	9,014	3,242	12,256	1,088	220	1,308	479	188	667	728	446	1,174	2,295	854	3,149
1884 ...	12,836	4,161	16,997	10,096	3,225	13,321	1,295	286	1,581	606	174	780	839	476	1,315	2,740	936	3,676
1885 ...	13,045	4,324	17,369	10,335	3,326	13,661	1,306	276	1,582	542	163	705	862	559	1,421	2,710	998	3,708
1886 ...	12,655	4,382	17,037	9,540	3,254	12,794	1,582	368	1,950	617	211	828	916	549	1,465	3,115	1,128	4,243

PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS.

No. 52.—Number of Distinct Persons received into the various Gaols Convicted of Drunkenness and Vagrancy and other Offences during the year 1886.

C Age.	Convicted of Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Convicted of other Offences.			Total		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Under 10 years	9	13	22	8	7	15	17	20	*37
10 to 20 ,,,	237	123	360	515	75	590	752	198	950
20 to 30 ,,,	1,430	450	1,880	1,919	199	2,118	3,349	649	3,998
30 to 40 ,,,	1,315	420	1,735	1,204	124	1,328	2,519	544	3,063
40 to 50 ,,,	935	317	1,252	742	85	827	1,677	402	2,079
50 and upwards	1,065	236	1,301	574	73	647	1,639	309	1,948
Total	4,991	1,559	6,550	4,962	563	5,525	9,953	2,122	12,075

* Actually only 20—9 males and 11 females, but appears as above on account of transfers from one gaol to another.

No. 53.—Number of Persons in Confinement on 31st December in each year, from 1876 to 1886.

Year.	Total Persons in Confinement.	Male.	Female.	Number Tried and Sentenced for—								Number awaiting Trial for—								Debtors.	
				Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.		Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.			
				Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		
1876	... 1,490	1,267	223	708	34	160	21	78	4	208	144	75	11	17	1	1	2	20	6	32	
1877	... 1,521	1,293	228	798	57	81	16	32	3	226	133	100	11	25	5	5	...	26	3	42	
1878	... 1,781	1,512	269	855	51	127	22	50	4	286	174	119	8	39	3	6	...	30	7	51	
1879	... 1,951	1,641	310	911	42	176	29	70	21	308	199	111	14	24	...	12	...	29	5	48	
1880	... 2,121	1,759	362	950	34	189	31	106	8	365	276	99	8	11	...	6	...	33	5	47	
1881	... 2,075	1,753	322	825	18	201	15	78	5	508	271	83	3	18	2	6	1	35	7	52	
1882	... 1,935	1,646	289	844	25	168	18	89	3	396	228	97	9	14	1	11	...	27	5	45	
1883	... 2,168	1,826	342	802	47	263	26	138	15	481	242	82	6	17	1	10	1	33	4	28	
1884	... 2,464	2,115	349	949	33	295	29	140	6	582	269	68	3	24	1	12	1	45	7	64	
1885	... 2,559	2,222	337	1,047	33	307	47	162	10	568	238	85	4	8	...	14	...	31	5	52	
1886	... 2,500	2,119	382	1,070	40	296	32	121	11	531	286	66	5	13	...	8	...	14	8	62	

No. 54.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners in Gaols, from 1876 to 1886.

Year.	Number of Prisoners received under Sentence.		Solitary Confinement.		Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
1876	6,862	3,330	392	106	346	107	738	213
1877	7,047	3,831	468	33	301	94	769	127
1878	7,641	4,106	640	128	167	25	807	153
1879	9,151	4,087	909	152	246	38	1,155	190
1880	9,544	4,035	997	213	194	69	1,191	282
1881	11,266	4,532	1,058	167	317	15	1,375	182
1882	10,326	3,918	1,036	97	300	19	1,336	116
1883	11,309	4,096	1,091	158	239	29	1,330	187
1884	12,836	4,161	1,295	178	329	37	1,694	215
1885	13,045	4,324	1,249	186	360	39	1,609	225
1886	12,650	4,382	1,226	194	337	52	1,563	246

No. 55.—Total Deaths and Death-rate in all Gaols, from 1878 to 1886.

Year.	Number of Persons under Sentence. a		Deaths.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons under Sentence.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons of both sexes under Sentence.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		
1878	7,516	1,663	39	7	5·19	4·21	5·01
1879	6,984	1,714	36	7	5·15	4·08	4·94
1880	7,021	1,642	37	.....	5·27	.....	4·27
1881	8,426	1,743	53	7	6·28	4·01	5·90
1882	7,964	1,654	40	6	5·02	3·63	4·78
1883	9,062	1,731	39	5	3·31	2·89	3·24
1884	10,334	1,930	35	4	3·39	2·07	3·18
1885	10,330	2,099	39	11	3·77	5·24	4·02
1886	11,683	2,422	38	10	3·25	4·13	3·40

a Distinct persons.

No. 56.—Business of the Supreme and Circuit Courts for the years 1876–86.

CIVIL CASES.

Year.	Civil Jurisdiction.			Equity.				Testamentary.				Appellate Jurisdiction.	
	No. of Writs issued.	No. of Causes entered for Trial.	Total Amount for which Judgment signed.	State-ments of Defence.	No. of Claims.	No. of Peti-tions.	No. of Decrees and Orders.	No. of Probates and Ad-ministrations—Will annexed.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Letters of Adminis-tration.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Cases from Insolvency Court.	No. of Cases from District Court.
1876	2,530	293	£ 106,257 12 6	32	Nil	21	152	511	1,677,972 0 0	415	223,189 0 0	1 6
1877	2,887	286	£ 127,204 14 10 ³ / ₄	37	Nil	48	102	530	1,336,599 0 0	471	291,391 8 11	1 5
1878	3,280	319	£ 278,126 10 5	50	Nil	72	115	573	1,735,064 10 0	514	281,367 0 0	3 9
1879	3,806	292	£ 436,355 17 6	48	Nil	65	153	579	2,116,906 2 6	472	269,991 11 8	3 8
1880	3,312	350	£ 202,253 15 2 ³ / ₄	59	35	53	166	667	1,323,822 18 10	506	210,816 0 0	5 9
1881	2,845	331	.....	55	87	33	93	671	2,011,305 0 0	526	307,818 0 0	3 15
1882	3,161	414	£ 169,520 12 0	51	106	50	96	810	3,586,554 0 0	589	581,528 0 0	3 18
1883	3,830	377	.....	81	153	41	210	862	3,528,602 0 0	613	588,029 0 0	2 15
1884	4,547	513	£ 370,647 13 0	77	166	91	289	933	3,642,709 0 0	648	605,543 0 0	..... 14
1885	4,079	481	£ 399,951 15 6	93	162	69	295	961	3,721,805 0 0	659	601,542 0 0	3 27
1886	5,649	526	£ 410,274 14 5	81	184	78	294	1,026	4,726,918 0 0	706	768,628 0 0	7 45

No. 57.—Business of the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Court, for the years 1876-86.

Year.	DIVORCE.																	
	Petitions for Dissolution of Marriage.																	
	Petitions for Judicial Separation.																	
	Petitions for Alimony.																	
	Appearances entered.																	
	Answers filed.																	
	Affidavits filed.																	
	Citations filed.																	
	Replications filed.																	
	Motions for hearing.																	
	Orders to set down causes for hearing.																	
	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.																	
	Rules discharged.																	
	Cases Alimony granted in.																	
	Orders to protect Wife's Earnings.																	
	Orders for substitution of service.																	
	Orders to examine witnesses under Commission.																	
	Orders of Court.																	
	Orders to proceed <i>in forma pauperis</i> .																	
	Orders for service out of jurisdiction.																	
	Orders dismissing Petitions on application.																	
	Subpœnas.																	
	Commission to examine witnesses.																	
	Records of Issues.																	
	Appeals to Full Court.																	
	Attachments issued.																	
	Petitions for Restitution of Conjugal Rights.																	
	Orders on appeal.																	
1876	...	22	1	2	4	2	169	19	...	19	19	...	...	6	...	...	3	...
1877	...	18	...	3	5	2	208	25	2	11	11	19	1	3	...	3	2	15
1878	...	17	...	2	5	4	199	22	1	49	15	11	...	3	...	4	...	6
1879	...	19	1	3	6	3	176	24	2	28	10	10	1	3	...	4	...	20
1880	...	31	...	1	7	5	313	34	1	59	27	22	1	63	8	2	39	...
1881	...	23	...	8	2	230	26	1	22	22	15	...	2	...	...	1	...	35
1882	...	23	...	2	9	6	156	21	1	38	20	19	1	2	...	3	...	19
1883	...	38	1	6	10	6	288	36	4	50	28	14	3	5	*	*	2	*
1884	...	30	8	6	7	4	322	39	...	72	30	27	...	5	*	*	4	*
1885	...	38	5	6	6	5	278	31	1	71	29	23	...	3	*	3	...	2
1886	...	45	4	7	18	11	355	46	1	101	32	32	...	6	...	2	3	...

* Cannot be ascertained.

CIVIL CASES.

No. 58.—Number of Civil Cases Tried in the Supreme and Circuit Courts during the year 1886.

District where tried.	Juries of Four.		Juries of Twelve.		Total.
	Defended.	Undefended or Settled.	Common.	Special.	
Supreme Court, Sydney	209	217	.....	7	433
Circuit Courts	Albury ...	1	.....	.....	1
	Armidale ...	1	.....	.....	1
	Bathurst ...	2	4	.....	6
	Deniliquin ...	1	.....	.....	1
	Dubbo ...	12	6	.....	18
	Goulburn ...	6	6	.....	12
	Grafton ...	1	3	.....	4
	Maitland ...	9	7	.....	16
	Mudgee ...	.....	1	.....	1
	Tamworth ...	3	1	.....	4
	Wagga Wagga ...	3	1	.....	4
	Yass ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Young ...	.....	1	.....	1
	Hay ...	.....	1	.....	1
TOTAL, CIRCUIT COURTS ...		39	31	.....	70
GENERAL TOTAL ...		248	248	7	503

No. 59.—Number of Civil Cases Tried in the Supreme and Circuit Courts, 1876–86.

Year.	Before Special Juries of Twelve.	Before Juries of Four.		Total.
		Defended Cases.	Undefended or Settled Cases.	
1876 ...	.....	208	85	293
1877 ...	4	184	98	286
1878 ...	3	196	120	319
1879 ...	1	178	113	292
1880 ...	3	199	148	350
1881 ...	1	172	158	331
1882 ...	11	239	164	414
1883 ...	3	222	152	377
1884 ...	1	270	222	493
1885 ...	8	247	239	494
1886 ...	7	248	248	503

No. 60.—Number of Suits commenced in the District Courts in the Colony, during the twelve months preceding the 1st day of March, 1887, and other particulars.

District.	The Number of Suits.			Settled.		The Number of Cases.			Result of the Trials.		The Number and Result of Appeals.			The Number of—		
	Com-menced.	Total Amount sued for.	Without hearing.	By Ar-bitra-tion.	Tried.			For Plain-tiff.	For Defendants.	The Costs of the Suits.	Appeals.	Judg-ments or Or-ders af-firmed.	Re-versed.	The Number of Cases left in Arrear.	Mo-tions for New Trials.	New Trials granted.
					Tried.	By Jury.	With-out Jury.									
Metropolitan and Hunter	8,543	£ 199,685 s. 17 d. 1	4,625	3	3,467	30	3,437	3,188	279	£ 13,717 s. 16 d. 5	9	...	...	448	9	2
Southern ...	1,394	45,384 s. 1 d. 4	559	8	776	39	737	708	68	2,637 s. 19 d. 7	1	...	1	51	7	3
South-western ...	789	28,448 s. 18 d. 5	403	1	342	8	334	295	47	1,218 s. 5 d. 3	...	...	...	43	...	...
Western ...	638	24,343 s. 7 d. 11	307	1	286	18	268	233	53	1,507 s. 0 d. 2	...	...	...	44	...	...
Northern ...	1,378	41,140 s. 1 d. 3	562	1	776	6	770	697	79	2,631 s. 15 d. 10	1	1	...	39	...	...
North-western ...	428	18,821 s. 1 d. 2	197	...	204	8	196	176	28	900 s. 18 d. 8	5	4	1	27	7	1
Total ...	13,170	357,863 s. 7 d. 2	6,653	14	5,851	109	5,742	5,297	554	22,613 s. 15 d. 11	16	5	2	652	23	6

PART III.—TRADE AND COMMERCE.

No. 61.—Total Value of the Imports and Exports of the Colony of New South Wales, from and to each Country, in the year 1886.

Countries and Ports.	Total Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.			Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
		Produce or Manufacture of the Colony.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.		
United Kingdom	£ 10,445,980	£ 5,399,201	£ 627,753	£ 6,026,954	£ 4,419,026	.....
BRITISH COLONIES OR POSSESSIONS.						
Victoria	2,789,700	3,303,665	393,678	3,697,343	.....	907,643
Queensland	2,568,438	698,497	969,365	1,667,862	900,576	.....
South Australia	828,174	1,461,045	124,785	1,585,830	.....	757,656
Tasmania	606,740	49,199	61,577	110,776	495,964	.....
New Zealand	949,567	353,862	73,778	427,640	521,927	.....
Western Australia	3,386	27,058	27,630	54,688	.....	51,302
Aden ... ...	.....	.....	89	89	.....	89
Burmah ... ...	.....	4,645	8	4,653	.....	4,653
Burrard's Inlet ... ...	.....	120	.....	120	.....	120
British Columbia	9,874	.....	.....	.....	9,874	.....
Cape Town ... ...	.....	174	.....	174	.....	174
Ceylon	9,226	3,546	5	3,551	5,675	.....
Fiji	176,661	38,194	73,707	111,901	64,760	.....
Hong Kong	280,449	228,074	58,967	287,041	.....	6,592
India	100,905	67,744	21,555	89,299	11,606	.....
Mauritius	25,268	15,138	458	15,596	9,672	.....
New Guinea	68	392	84	476	.....	408
Singapore	19,056	4,589	264	4,853	14,203
Total British Colonies, &c.	£ 8,367,512	£ 6,255,942	£ 1,805,950	£ 8,061,892	£ 305,620

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Countries and Ports.	Total Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.			Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
		Produce or Manufacture of the Colony.	Other Product or Manufacture.	Total.		
FOREIGN STATES.		£	£	£	£	£
Belgium	173,831	421,407	3,531	424,938	.....	251,107
Chili ... ... ...	.....	27,167	38	27,205	.....	27,205
China...	195,930	14,529	1,933	16,462	179,468	.....
France	216,193	98,811	50,698	149,509	66,684	.....
Germany	361,612	50,784	3,687	54,471	307,141	.....
Java	3,230	20,100	2,116	22,216	.....	18,986
New Caledonia	64,952	19,719	91,613	111,332	.....	46,380
Norway	48,501	.....	.....	.....	48,501	.....
Philippine Islands ... ...	.....	19,559	64	19,623	.....	19,623
Sandwich Islands	81	13,565	4,022	17,587	.....	17,506
South Sea Islands	36,491	6,711	43,550	50,261	.....	13,770
Sweden	4,200	.....	.....	.....	4,200	.....
United States of America ...	1,018,773	500,248	20,968	521,216	497,557	.....
Other Countries	36,262	36,457	16,090	52,547	.....	16,285
Total, Foreign States ...	2,160,056	1,229,057	238,310	1,467,367	692,689	.....
General Total ...	20,973,548	12,884,200	2,672,013	15,556,213	5,417,335	.....

IMPORTS.

No. 62.—General Imports into the Colony of New South Wales during the year ended 31st December, 1886.

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Acid, Acetic ...	1,090	Bolts, Nuts, Rivets, Screws, &c. ...	22,445
Acid, Tartaric ...	7,852	Boots and Shoes ...	582,313
Acids, all other ...	6,918	Beeswax ...	41
Aerated Waters ...	13,625	Bricks—	
Agricultural Implements ...	54,260	Building ...	186
Anchors ...	728	Fire ...	3,500
Alum ...	210	Brushware ...	39,154
Apparel, Wearing ...	1,270,519	Butter ...	159,536
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—		Candles ...	82,139
Guns ...	19,873	Cakes ...	5,942
Gun-caps...	1,427	Canvas ...	14,433
Cartridges ...	12,782	Chaff and Hay ...	219,828
Shot ...	6,466	Chicory (raw) ...	321
Swords ...	65	Chicory (prepared) ...	1,851
Gun Cotton ...	1,157	Carriages ...	31,076
Dynamite and Lithofracteur ...	18,188	Carts and Waggons ...	14,905
Other Firearms ...	3,395	Carriage-makers' Materials ...	33,767
Powder, Blasting ...	65,715	Cement ...	229,566
Powder, Sporting ...	9,036	Chain Cables...	1,984
Fuze ...	5,770	Cocoa (raw) ...	23
Arrowroot ...	2,563	Cocoa and Chocolate (prepared) ...	29,717
Asphalt ...	1,540	Cheese ...	43,508
Bags and Sacks ...	18,312	Chinese Goods ...	1,565
Bags, Calico ...	1,569	Chromite Ore ...	4,909
Bags, Paper (plain) ...	(5,018)	Cobalt Ore ...	6,067
Bags, Gunny... ...	4,929	Coal and Coke ...	22,549
Bacon and Hams ...	54,393	Cocoanuts ...	1,922
Barley, Pearl and Prepared ...	1,239	Coffee (prepared) ...	6,664
Baking Powder, &c.... ...	4,865	Coffee (raw) ...	14,057
Bark ...	33,673	Coin—	
Baskets and Basketware ...	6,727	Gold ...	371,336
Bêche-de-mer ...	5,714	Silver ...	37,451
Beer (in wood) ...	73,448	Copper and Bronze ...	1,753
Beer (in bottle) ...	346,006	Confectionery ...	24,978
Biscuits ...	7,898	Colors (dry), Kalsomine and other	
Blacking ...	8,997	washes ...	3,269
Blue ...	7,610	Cream of Tartar ...	15,166
Boats ...	1,429	Cordials ...	3,477
Bicarbonate Soda ...	1,215	Cotton Waste ...	5,922

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Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Charcoal	323	Glass—	
Copper Ore	152,471	Looking	5,034
Copper (sheets)	568	Plate	16,939
Copper (refined)	17	Window	20,161
Copra...	50,322	Glassware	71,617
Cordage and Rope	44,429	Glue	2,693
Corks and Bungs	9,282	Gold	1,462,695
Cotton (raw)...	1,312	Gold Leaf	3,755
Cutlery	56,188	Glucose, Solid	852
Dates	7,969	Glucose, Liquid	1,481
Doors, Wood (not otherwise charged)	22,432	Groats, Patent	1,573
Drapery	2,887,111	Grease	1,693
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware ...	203,173	Grindery	31,015
Dyes and Dye Stuffs	4,575	Grain and Pulse—	
Effervescing Powders	1,247	Barley	9,330
Earthenware and China	124,084	Beans	2,230
Eggs	5,169	Bran	58,072
Essences (flavouring)	6,041	Maize	15,566
Farinaceous Foods and Milk Foods	3,234	Oats	143,229
Fancy Goods...	60,256	Pease (split and dried) ...	7,444
Felt	1,882	Pollard	11,303
Fibre	2,797	Sharps	5,300
Fireworks	3,139	Wheat	220,287
Fish (preserved)	102,991	Gum...	2,177
Fire-clay	391	Hardware	617,249
Firewood	132	Hoofs and Bones	1,953
Fish Paste	1,546	Horns	2,089
Flax and Hemp	12,816	Hops...	39,333
Flour	649,372	Hair	2,140
Floor-cloths	43,103	Honey	1,578
Fruits—		Indiarubber Goods ...	16,391
Bottled	2,838	Instruments—	
Dried	100,629	Optical	5,342
Green	177,316	Scientific	9,605
Fungus	9,855	Surgical	4,005
Furniture	278,190	Iron—	
Fruit Salts	5,875	Castings	10,986
Gelatine and Isinglass	5,783	Galvanized	259,927
Gas-fittings	46,357	Galvanized Manufactures	25,170
Ginger (dried and green)	6,189	Old	4,865

IMPORTS.

No. 62—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Iron—			
Pipes	131,273	Meat, Preserved	32,929
Tanks	9,272	Meat, Fresh	110
Wire, Plain	101,439	Meat, Extract	1,082
Wire, Galvanized	10,873	Manures—	
Pig	7,053	Guano	46
Bars, Rod, Plate, Sheet, &c. ...	97,211	Bone-dust	298
Wire-netting	6,581	All others	1,005
Iron Chains	42	Milk, Condensed	60,599
Iron and Steel (all other, wrought)	170,149	Molasses	17,406
Ivory Nuts	2,065	Musical Instruments	111,586
Jams and Jellies	73,101	Nails	43,536
Jewellery	175,073	Naphtha and Gasoline	936
Kapok	10,535	Nickel Ore	7,586
Lampware	33,136	Nuts, Edible (except Cocoanuts) ...	7,777
Lard	1,115	Oars	1,187
Leather	67,710	Oatmeal	26,919
Lead—		Oakum	1,544
Sheet, Rolls, and Pipe ...	35,932	Oils—	
Pigs	5,858	Black	3,768
Lime Juice	1,631	Castor	37,280
Lithographic Material	604	China	11,933
Liquorice and Liquorice Paste ...	2,359	Cocoanut	665
Live Stock—		Colza	5,040
Cattle	433,564	Kerosene	51,631
Dogs	582	Linseed	41,009
Goats	27	Olive	15,065
Horses	105,190	Palm	1,808
Sheep	160,456	Essential Oil (without spirit) ...	3,138
Pigs	1,743	Sperm	1,092
Poultry	607	All other	18,215
Machinery	326,651	Oil (in bottles)	14,557
Maizena	4,067	Oilmen's Stores	9,492
Malt	149,866	Onions	17,853
Marble	18,703	Opium	79,259
Matches	66,226	Oysters, Fresh	1,061
Mats and Matting	13,009	Paints and Colors in Oil ...	69,574
Military and Naval Stores ...	142,493	Painters Materials	4,886
Mustard	21,020	Paperhangings	23,288
		Pearl Shell	36,556
		Pepper and Spices ...	16,681

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Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
	£		£
Phormium Tenax	4,948	Sewing Machines	43,699
Paper, Books, and Stationery—		Ship Chandlery	12,771
Brown	30,760	Shutters, Wood	4
Circulars, Advertising matter, &c.	8,528	Soap, Toilet and Fancy	9,339
Writing and Fancy	66,751	Soap, other kinds	14,087
Printing, News, &c.	142,534	Straw	5,739
Books, Periodicals, &c.	177,396	Sausage Skins	3,135
Photographic Materials	15,436	Soda, Crystals	5,057
Pickles and Sauce	65,561	Soda, Caustic	3,229
Pictures and Paintings	23,757	Sandalwood	798
Pipes and Tobacco	39,629	Safes (Iron) and Iron Doors ...	8,843
Playing Cards	1,935	Seeds	4,709
Putty	1,029	Sulphur	4,395
Plaster and Plaster of Paris ...	5,530	Specimens of Natural History ...	1,362
Passengers' Baggage	9,113	Shooks and Staves	1,716
Pitch, Tar, and Resin	8,444	Silver Plate and Plated Ware ...	83,299
Plants	9,470	Silver Ore	2,234
Potatoes	260,563	Silver Ingots	1,384
Preserves	27,414	Skins—	
Printing Materials	22,557	Horned Cattle	102,077
Provisions—		Horse	113
Salt Beef	6,304	Kangaroo	8,509
Chinese	282	Sheep	18,401
Pork, Salt	811	Calf	261
Preserved	21,725	All other	602
Vegetables, Preserved ...	4,725	Slates—	
Vegetables, Green ...	21,470	Roofing	28,074
Game	1,241	Slabs	1,915
Quicksilver	1,089	Spirits—	
Railway Plant and Furniture ...	279,202	Brandy	201,088
Rice	91,641	Rum	48,766
Rice Flour or Ground Rice ...	138	Geneva	49,139
Saddlery and Harness	55,634	Gin	5,877
Saddlers' Wares	46,435	Whisky	144,732
Sago	327	Liqueurs	5,571
Salt (in bags)	29,492	Bitters	7,600
Salt, Rock	5,504	Perfumed	16,575
Saltpetre	872	Methylated	3,090
Sarsaparilla	1,891	All other	10,115
Sashes	870	Starch	24,726

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No. 62—*continued.*

Articles.	Value of Importations.	Articles.	Value of Importations.
Stationery (sundries)	£ 153,088	Tobacco—	
Stearine	136	Cigars	74,952
Statuary and Works of Art ...	4,856	Cigarettes	18,265
Sundries (general)	110,418	Snuff	193
Stones—		Tortoiseshell	2,012
Ballast	4,038	Toys and Fancy Goods	76,695
Building	8,334	Turpentine	9,366
Flag	5,544	Turnery	29,599
Grind	482	Upholstery	78,351
Kerbing and Guttering ...	2,865	Varnish	18,432
Mill	10	Vermicelli and Macaroni ...	2,671
Pitchers for roads ...	5,566	Vinegar	10,974
Tomb	989	Watches and Clocks ...	134,331
Sugar, Raw	478,992	Whiting and Chalk ...	3,729
Sugar, Refined	5,646	Whalebone	59
Tallow	38,513	Wax—	
Tapioca	7,378	Japan	158
Tea	311,547	Mineral	475
Telegraphic Material ...	14,616	Paraffine	3
Timber—		Weighing Machines ...	4,438
Dressed	201,553	Wine, Sparkling ...	45,644
Undressed	232,907	Wine, Still ...	64,036
Shingles	4	Wool—	
Palings	2,688	Washed	102,351
Laths	11,314	Greasy	177,335
Tin—		Woolpacks ...	44,889
Ingots	312,765	Yellow Metal—	
Ore	129,749	Sheets	12,806
Plates	20,473	Nails	1,741
Tinware	13,478	Zinc—	
Tobacco—		Plain Sheet	2,639
Manufactured	95,118	Perforated or Manufactured ...	2,362
Leaf	32,368	Total Imports for 1886... £ 20,973,548	

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No. 63.—General Exports from the Colony of New South Wales during the year ended 31st December, 1886.

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and Other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Acids—			
Acetic	319	319	
Tartaric	147	147	
All other	4,450	232	4,682
Aerated Waters...	690	2,172	2,862
Agricultural Implements	707	141	848
Alkalies ...	718	5,338	6,056
Soda Bicarbonate	164	164	
Soda Crystals	455	455	
Alum ...	2	2	
Anchors ...	590	590	
Antimony	3,381	30	3,411
Apparel ...	1,562	35,696	37,258
Arms, Explosives, &c.—			
Cartridges	1,218	1,218	
Gun Caps	810	810	
Fuze ...	1,399	1,399	
Guns...	4,434	4,434	
Shot ...	896	896	
Dynamite, &c.	1,963	1,963	
Powder, Blasting	8,731	8,731	
Powder, Sporting	1,318	1,318	
Arrowroot ...	208	208	
Asbestos ...	83	83	
Bags and Sacks ...	15,769	15,769	
Bags, Gunny ...	3,381	3,381	
Baking Powder, &c.	53	162	215
Bark ...	11,903	7,718	19,621
Barley, Prepared and Pearl	63	63	
Baskets, &c.	359	232	591
Bêche-de-mer	4,795	4,795	
Beer—			
In bottle	12	30,406	30,418
In wood	840	2,768	3,608
Beeswax ...	2,207	2,207
Biscuits ...	1,905	489	2,394
Bismuth ...	3,870	3,870

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.								Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and Other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
								£	£	£
Bitters ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,367	1,456	2,823
Blacking ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	1,234	1,234
Blue ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	423	423
Boats ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,027	270	1,297
Boots and Shoes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,164	80,673	103,837
Bricks—										
Building ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	405	.....	405
Fire ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	37	242
Brushware ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,745	4,104	5,849
Building Materials ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,053	950	2,003
Butter ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,862	11,991	14,853
Candlerut ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	132	132
Candles ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	8,274	8,274
Canvas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	4,419	4,419
Carriages...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,752	2,519	5,271
Carriage-makers' Materials ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,030	6,771	9,801
Carts and Waggons ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,826	234	2,060
Cement ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	17,975	17,975
Chain Cable ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	585	585
Charcoal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,005	.....	1,005
Cheese ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	417	3,042	3,459
Chicory (raw and prepared) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	27	27
Chinese Goods ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	427	427
Chinese Provisions ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	43	43
Chocolate and Cocoa ('prepared) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	2,796	2,796
Chromite Ore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	5,029	5,029
Coal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	947,002	.....	947,002
Coke ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,904	.....	6,904
Cobalt (metal and ore)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	5,643	5,643
Cocoa (raw) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	30	30
Coffee—										
Raw ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	3,302	3,302
Prepared ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	1,474	1,474
Coin—										
Gold	1,584,324	2,412	1,586,736
Silver...	5,427	5,427
Copper	177	177
Confectionery	291	2,040	2,331

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Copper—		£	£
Ore ...	1,112	1,961	3,073
Refined ...	166,429	105,847	272,276
Regulus ...	124	.....	124
Sheet ...	.....	385	385
Copra ...	.....	64,136	64,136
Cordage and Rope ...	5,024	9,353	14,377
Cordials (not containing spirit) ...	130	517	647
Corks and Bungs ...	.....	1,427	1,427
Cotton (raw) ...	.....	517	517
Cream of Tartar ...	.....	200	200
Cutlery ...	.....	4,124	4,124
Dates ...	.....	567	567
Doors (wood) ...	24	620	644
Drain Pipes ...	153	.....	153
Drapery ...	314	323,344	323,658
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware ...	1,629	21,641	23,270
Earthenware and China ...	14	18,500	18,514
Effervescing Powder, &c. ...	.....	18	18
Eggs ...	40	.....	40
Essences ...	.....	61	61
Exhibits ...	18,325	.....	18,325
Farinaceous and Milk Food ...	.....	439	439
Felt ...	130	275	405
Fibre ...	.....	1,095	1,095
Fireclay ...	43	52	95
Firewood ...	1,104	.....	1,104
Fireworks ...	9	184	193
Fish (Fresh) ...	775	.....	775
Fish (Preserved) ...	119	28,576	28,695
Flax and Hemp ...	.....	1,500	1,500
Floor-cloth and Oil-cloth ...	.....	781	781
Flour ...	19,846	63,002	82,848
Fruit—			
Bottled ...	.....	260	260
Boiled or in Pulp ...	202	202
Dried and Candied	13,034	13,034
Cocoanuts	728	728

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—			£
Nuts ...	.....	521	521
Green	112,169	16,539	128,708
Fruit Salts	.....	164	164
Fungus ...	.....	6,706	6,706
Furniture	2,037	28,475	30,512
Gas-fittings	.....	7,773	7,773
Gasoline ...	8	72	80
Gelatine and Isinglass ...	.....	45	45
Ginger ...	.....	206	206
Glass—			£
Looking	.....	210	210
Plate ...	.....	1,194	1,194
Window	.....	921	921
Glassware	122	9,093	9,215
Glucose ...	.....	149	149
Glue and Size ...	5,311	37	5,348
Gold—			
Bars and Dust	24,918	2,020	26,938
Quartz	10,694	860	11,554
Grain and Pulse—			
Barley	159	700	859
Bran and Pollard	4,005	4,928	8,933
Maize	35,197	970	36,167
Oats ...	1,148	8,704	9,852
Peas (Dried and Split)	.....	1,711	1,711
Wheat	17,347	6,146	23,493
Grindery...	506	6,489	6,995
Groats (Patent)...	.....	136	136
Gum ...	.....	246	246
Hair ...	2,421	191	2,612
Hardware	2,225	82,058	84,283
Hay and Chaff ...	7,181	8,174	15,355
Honey ...	39	489	528
Hoofs and Bones	5,298	5,298
Hops	2,825	2,825
Horns ...	6,097	6,097
Houses (Wooden)	44	330	374

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Indiarubber Goods	840	840	840
Instruments—			
Scientific	2,413	2,413	2,413
Surgical	237	237	237
Iron and Steel—			
Oxide of	2,589	.....	2,589
Pig	4,044	4,044	4,044
Pipes	3,051	3,051	3,051
Other Castings	553	105	658
Scrap and Old	.....	1,316	1,316
Bar, Rod, Plate, &c.	951	15,929	16,880
Sheet, &c.	.....	1,858	1,858
Bolts, Nuts, &c.	.....	1,858	1,858
Chains	87	87	87
Tanks	925	925	925
Safes and Doors	1,643	1,643	1,643
Wire	12,652	12,652	12,652
Galvanized Sheets, &c.	44,198	44,198	44,198
Galvanized Manufactures	920	920	920
Galvanized Wire	1,935	1,935	1,935
Ivory Nuts	1,497	1,497	1,497
Jams and Jellies	355	3,077	3,432
Jewellery	15	21,244	21,259
Kerosene Shale	60,621	.....	60,621
Lampware	6	4,809	4,815
Lard	185	60	245
Lead—			
Old	1,506	1,506	1,506
Pig	3,509	3,509	3,509
Sheet, Roll, and Pipe	2,275	2,275	2,275
Leather	100,930	11,561	112,491
Lime-juice	689	689	689
Live Stock—			
Cattle	297,130	67,955	365,085
Horses	126,131	1,759	127,890
Sheep	512,421	5,195	517,616
Pigs	1,081	6	1,087
Mules	289	289

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
Live Stock—		£	£
Dogs ...	144	165	309
Poultry ...	401	.....	401
Birds ...	249	.....	249
Macaroni and Vermicelli	.....	176	176
Machinery ...	4,864	53,691	58,555
Machines (Weighing) ...	.....	711	711
Maizena and Corn Flour	1,288	1,599	2,887
Malt ...	.....	4,443	4,443
Manures—			
Bone-dust ...	11,006	397	11,403
Guano ...	.....	106	106
Other kinds ...	9,862	53	9,915
Marble ...	.....	1,870	1,870
Matches ...	.....	7,685	7,685
Mats and Matting	212	405	617
Meat—			
Frozen ...	4,671	.....	4,671
*Extract of, and Preserved ...	12,627	4,632	17,259
†Extract of ...	5,416	17	5,433
‡Preserved ...	59,713	3,406	63,119
Salt Beef ...	2,666	1,196	3,862
Salt Pork ...	202	62	264
Bacon and Ham ...	244	7,565	7,809
Metal (old)	.....	3,461	3,461
Milk (Condensed and Preserved)	.....	9,176	9,176
Minerals (not classified)	920	.....	920
Mohair ...	80	.....	80
Molasses...	12,338	733	13,071
Molybdenum	4,407	.....	4,407
Musical Instruments	.....	17,289	17,289
Mustard ...	.....	1,854	1,854
Nails ...	.....	7,131	7,131
Naphtha...	21	88	109
Nickel Ore	.....	8,162	8,162
Oakum ...	.....	325	325
Oars ...	53	968	1,021
Oatmeal ...	.....	1,680	1,680

* From 1st January to 6th April.

† From 7th April to 31st December.

‡ From 1st April to 7th December.

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Oil—			
Black...	1,005	1,005
Castor	14,205	14,205
China	3,796	3,796
Cocoanut	286	286
Kerosene	12	9,687
Salad and Olive	1,049	1,049
All other kinds	2,630	9,774
Oils in bottles—			
Castor	305	305
Salad	793	793
All other	409	409
Oil-cake	60	60
Oilmen's Stores	351	4,507
Onions	434	2,605
Opium	15,390
Oysters (fresh)	6,815	112
Painters' Materials	15	106
Paints and Colours in Oil	1,748	7,725
Paper, Books, and Stationery (see also stationery sundries)—			
Books, Periodicals, &c.	6,112	38,961
Bags, plain	287	340
Brown and Wrapping	666	2,855
Circulars, &c.	38
Printing, News, &c	84	3,229
Writing, Note, &c.	2,189
Paperhangings	222
Pearl-shell	31,614
Pepper and Spices	1,139
Phormium Tenax	353
Photographic Materials	4,873
Pickles and Sauces	4,737
Pictures, Photographs, &c.	375	7,366
Pipes (Tobacco)	2,989
Pitch, Tar, and Resin	468	1,204
Plants and Seeds	9,458	2,901
Plaster and Plaster of Paris	311

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Playing Cards ... ... ... ... ...	.....	9	9
Potatoes	2,256	27,183	29,439
Preserves... ... ... ... ...	.....	5,499	5,499
Printers' Material	42	7,211	7,253
Putty	96	78	174
Quicksilver ... ... ... ... ...	.....	524	524
Rails (Iron and Steel) ... ... ... ...	.....	1,313	1,313
Rice ... ... ... ... ...	.....	18,662	18,662
Rice Flour ... ... ... ... ...	.....	6	6
Saddlery and Harness	5,260	7,059	12,319
Sago ... ... ... ... ...	.....	78	78
Salt ... ... ... ... ...	.....	2,705	2,705
Salt (Rock) ... ... ... ... ...	.....	146	146
Saltpetre... ... ... ... ...	.....	878	878
Sandalwood ... ... ... ... ...	.....	1,163	1,163
Sarsaparilla ... ... ... ... ...	.....	305	305
Sashes	223	43	266
Sewing Machines ... ... ... ...	.....	6,641	6,641
Ship Chandlery ... ... ... ...	.....	1,142	1,142
Shooks and Staves	1,634	1,182	2,816
Shutters	8	.....	8
Silver—			
Ingots	197,544	3,420	200,964
Lead	226,550	2,700	229,250
Ore	67,935	.....	67,935
Silver Plate and Plated Ware	114	14,708	14,822
Skins—			
Horned Cattle	156,615	.....	156,615
Horse	4	.....	4
Kangaroo	62,366	.....	62,366
Sheep	67,233	.....	67,233
All other	17,667	.....	17,667
Slates ... ... ... ... ...	.....	54	54
Soap—			
Toilet and Fancy	105	479	584
All other kinds	4,111	375	4,486
Stock...	710	710
Specimens of Natural History...	566	334	900

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Spirits—			
Brandy ... ... ... ... ...	.....	26,623	26,623
Geneva and Schnapps ... ... ... ...	.....	5,758	5,758
Gin ... ... ... ...	.....	333	333
Liqueurs ... ... ... ...	.....	637	637
Methylated ... ... ... ...	.....	113	113
Perfumed, &c. ... ... ... ...	.....	649	649
Rum ... ... ... ...	.....	3,349	3,349
Whiskey ... ... ... ...	.....	16,985	16,985
All other ... ... ... ...	.....	1,261	1,261
Distilled in the Colony (Rum)	11,308	.....	11,308
Starch and Starch Powders	5	956	961
Stationery—Sundries	402	23,505	23,907
Statuary and Monuments	133	647	780
Stones—			
Building	1,848	.....	1,848
Curb and Paving ... ... ...	.....	150	150
Grind ... ... ... ...	.....	192	192
Sugar—			
Raw ... ... ... ...	.....	108,877	108,877
Refined ... ... ... ...	.....	745	745
Sulphur ... ... ... ...	.....	238	238
Sundries	13,663	34,739	48,402
Tallow	145,198	2,160	147,358
Tapioca and Semolina ... ... ...	.....	310	310
Tea ... ... ... ...	.....	35,892	35,892
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Material ...	.....	1,359	1,359
Timber—			
Rough	57,764	10,450	68,214
Dressed	1,345	1,356	2,701
Laths...	3	2,832	2,835
Palings	34	17	51
Posts, Rails, and Spars	2,829	134	2,963
Tin—			
Ingots	449,303	249,262	698,565
Ore	18,350	3,144	21,494
Plates	5,309	5,309
Tinware	563	324	887

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No. 63—*continued.*

Articles.	Produce and Manufacture of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture.	Total.
	£	£	£
Tobacco—			
Unmanufactured ... ... ... ... ...	.....	1,339	1,339
Manufactured	49	40,188	40,237
Cigarettes ... ... ... ... ...	.....	1,669	1,669
Cigars ... ... ... ... ...	.....	16,717	16,717
Tortoiseshell ... ... ... ... ...	.....	2,601	2,601
Toys and Fancy Goods	504	37,443	37,947
Turnery	1,478	5,159	6,637
Turpentine ... ... ... ... ...	.....	1,239	1,239
Upholstery	1,331	4,391	5,722
Varnish	74	897	971
Vegetables—			
Green	619	147	766
Preserved ... ... ... ... ...	.....	1,232	1,232
Vinegar	44	783	827
Watches and Clocks ... ... ... ... ...	.....	17,176	17,176
Whalebone ... ... ... ... ...	.....	100	100
Whiting and Chalk ... ... ... ... ...	.....	96	96
Wines—			
Sparkling ... ... ... ... ...	.....	6,742	6,742
Other kinds	7,581	10,636	18,217
Wool—			
Washed	2,444,685	75,319	2,520,004
Greasy	4,583,911	98,061	4,681,972
Woolpacks ... ... ... ... ...	.....	2,500	2,500
Yellow Metal—			
Sheet ... ... ... ... ...	.....	2,934	2,934
Nails ... ... ... ... ...	.....	171	171
Zinc—			
Plain Sheet ... ... ... ... ...	.....	458	458
Perforated and Manufactured	4	4
Spelter	1,533	62	1,595
Total Exports for 1886 £	12,884,200	2,672,013	15,556,213

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No. 64.—Value of Imports into New South Wales from Great Britain, British Colonies and Possessions, and Foreign States—1877–86.

Year.	Great Britain.	Australasian Colonies.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign States.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	
1877	6,471,780	6,416,757	733,379	1,250,862	14,852,778
1878	6,658,628	6,468,978	567,278	1,409,761	15,104,645
1879	6,749,519	5,634,808	648,622	1,470,877	14,503,826
1880	6,536,661	5,945,788	539,334	1,154,280	14,176,063
1881	8,986,838	6,229,916	580,877	1,789,381	17,587,012
1882	11,155,917	7,289,823	821,425	2,200,734	21,467,899
1883	10,624,081	8,054,390	704,581	2,139,789	21,522,841
1884	11,423,047	8,507,199	1,012,008	2,218,662	23,160,916
1885	11,885,597	8,595,429	818,689	2,437,746	23,737,461
1886	10,445,980	7,742,619	624,893	2,160,056	20,973,548

No. 65.—Value of Imports from the Principal Foreign Countries—1877–86.

Year.	France.	New Caledonia.	Belgium.	Germany.	China.	South Sea Islands.	United States of America.	Other Foreign States.	Total imports from Foreign States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	... 19,737	151,684	28,213	.....	316,441	25,855	481,565	207,367	1,230,862
1878	... 38,127	140,873	16,737	.....	245,263	58,127	622,261	288,373	1,409,761
1879	... 52,046	159,599	.....	32,436	350,725	43,373	546,630	286,068	1,470,877
1880	... 37,859	122,299	.....	47,169	358,129	42,789	387,056	158,979	1,154,280
1881	... 64,118	188,745	21,579	124,910	466,830	44,498	587,865	290,836	1,789,381
1882	... 98,176	273,370	39,951	180,951	358,783	49,185	886,171	314,147	2,200,734
1883	... 211,722	152,096	31,162	213,709	259,108	39,347	922,574	310,071	2,139,789
1884	... 218,755	107,509	74,904	337,881	357,208	41,537	954,665	126,203	2,218,662
1885	... 345,231	82,181	195,318	372,557	303,595	36,929	1,008,572	93,363	2,437,746
1886	... 216,193	64,952	173,831	361,612	195,930	36,491	1,018,773	92,274	2,160,056

No. 66.—Value of Imports into the Colony from various British Colonies and Possessions and the United Kingdom—1877-86.

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Year.	From Great Britain.	From British Colonies or Possessions.								Total Great Britain and British Colonies.	
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Hong Kong.	Fiji.	India.		
1877	Seaward	£ 6,471,780	£ 1,171,278	£ 557,454	£ 374,393	£ 223,482	£ 2,218,334	£ 180,070	£ 32,483	£ 520,826	£ 13,621,916
	Overland	.....	.....	1,360,171	253,838	.....	257,807	.....	.....	.....
1878	Seaward	£ 6,658,628	£ 1,539,788	£ 502,486	£ 286,343	£ 245,907	£ 1,803,843	£ 211,439	£ 23,738	£ 267	£ 13,694,884
	Overland	.....	.....	1,357,715	387,205	.....	345,691	.....	.....	.....
1879	Seaward	£ 6,749,519	£ 1,300,382	£ 431,882	£ 188,064	£ 285,083	£ 1,893,976	£ 207,450	£ 33,248	£ 409	£ 13,032,949
	Overland	.....	.....	933,999	289,304	.....	312,118	.....	.....	.....
1880	Seaward	£ 6,536,661	£ 1,223,499	£ 447,033	£ 383,106	£ 460,735	£ 1,993,260	£ 228,526	£ 54,135	£ 653	£ 13,021,783
	Overland	.....	.....	963,620	243,374	.....	231,161	.....	.....	.....
1881	Seaward	£ 8,986,838	£ 1,203,659	£ 457,012	£ 481,529	£ 471,911	£ 1,907,157	£ 202,689	£ 52,223	£ 27,871	£ 15,797,631
	Overland	.....	.....	1,210,931	235,769	.....	261,948	.....	.....	.....
1882	Seaward	£ 11,155,917	£ 1,553,125	£ 605,122	£ 614,923	£ 737,204	£ 1,867,040	£ 209,470	£ 57,424	£ 72,739	£ 19,269,165
	Overland	.....	.....	1,217,120	412,563	.....	282,726	.....	.....	.....
1883	Seaward	£ 10,624,081	£ 1,745,938	£ 436,787	£ 666,399	£ 583,056	£ 2,301,715	£ 229,093	£ 128,253	£ 108,154	£ 19,383,052
	Overland	.....	.....	1,266,330	404,322	.....	649,843	.....	.....	.....
1884	Seaward	£ 11,423,047	£ 1,732,908	£ 641,209	£ 575,501	£ 881,530	£ 2,489,498	£ 456,313	£ 175,016	£ 128,185	£ 20,942,254
	Overland	.....	.....	1,331,908	360,965	.....	493,680	.....	.....	.....
1885	Seaward	£ 11,885,597	£ 1,754,557	£ 504,083	£ 582,177	£ 899,623	£ 2,243,849	£ 340,187	£ 192,540	£ 117,208	£ 21,299,715
	Overland	.....	.....	1,555,139	386,252	.....	669,739	.....	.....	.....
1886	Seaward	£ 10,445,980	£ 1,915,020	£ 386,140	£ 606,740	£ 949,567	£ 2,185,563	£ 280,449	£ 176,661	£ 100,905	£ 18,813,492
	Overland	874,680	442,034	382,875	

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No. 67.—Value of Articles Exported, the Produce or Manufacture of New South Wales and of other Countries—1877–86.

Year.	Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of New South Wales.		Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of other Countries.		Total.		General Total.
	Seaward.	Overland.	Seaward.	Overland.	Seaward.	Overland.	
1877 ...	£ 7,629,476	£ 3,407,363	£ 2,353,563	£ 67,498	£ 9,983,039	£ 3,474,861	£ 13,457,900
1878 ...	£ 7,099,999	£ 3,785,938	£ 2,189,658	£ 59,710	£ 9,288,757	£ 3,845,648	£ 13,134,405
1879 ...	£ 6,704,733	£ 4,116,923	£ 2,278,151	£ 33,024	£ 8,982,884	£ 4,149,047	£ 13,131,931
1880 ...	£ 8,116,784	£ 4,720,662	£ 2,797,476	£ 47,880	£ 10,914,260	£ 4,768,542	£ 15,682,802
1881 ...	£ 9,191,890	£ 3,961,905	£ 3,093,454	£ 60,556	£ 12,285,344	£ 4,022,461	£ 16,307,805
1882 ...	£ 9,251,459	£ 4,917,394	£ 3,430,251	£ 78,251	£ 12,681,710	£ 4,995,645	£ 17,677,355
1883 ...	£ 12,293,427	£ 4,212,695	£ 3,661,223	£ 94,928	£ 15,954,650	£ 4,307,623	£ 20,262,273
1884 ...	£ 10,224,777	£ 4,696,743	£ 3,521,743	£ 134,027	£ 13,746,520	£ 4,830,770	£ 18,577,290
1885 ...	£ 9,926,114	£ 3,240,129	£ 3,418,920	£ 164,944	£ 13,345,034	£ 3,405,073	£ 16,750,107
1886 ...	£ 8,929,506	£ 3,954,694	£ 2,536,633	£ 125,380	£ 11,466,139	£ 4,090,074	£ 15,556,213

No. 68.—Exports from New South Wales to Great Britain, British Colonies and Possessions, and Foreign States—1877–86.

Year.	Great Britain.	Australasian Colonies.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign States.	Total.
1877 ...	£ 6,018,926	£ 6,628,822	£ 351,823	£ 458,329	£ 13,457,900
1878 ...	£ 5,516,437	£ 6,802,373	£ 331,898	£ 483,697	£ 13,134,405
1879 ...	£ 5,148,609	£ 7,120,840	£ 303,655	£ 558,827	£ 13,131,931
1880 ...	£ 7,525,637	£ 7,381,172	£ 303,505	£ 472,488	£ 15,682,802
1881 ...	£ 7,561,114	£ 6,981,456	£ 466,390	£ 1,298,845	£ 16,307,805
1882 ...	£ 7,309,691	£ 8,425,903	£ 734,887	£ 1,206,874	£ 17,677,355
1883 ...	£ 9,884,207	£ 7,943,332	£ 842,834	£ 1,591,900	£ 20,262,273
1884 ...	£ 7,683,880	£ 8,708,323	£ 829,447	£ 1,355,640	£ 18,577,290
1885 ...	£ 7,293,133	£ 6,936,139	£ 564,780	£ 1,956,055	£ 16,750,107
1886 ...	£ 6,026,954	£ 7,544,139	£ 517,753	£ 1,467,367	£ 15,556,213

No. 69.—Value of Exports from the Colony, distinguishing the Countries to which Exported—1877–86.

Year.	To Great Britain.	To British Colonies or Possessions.									Total Great Britain and British Colonies.
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Hong Kong.	Fiji.	India.	Other British Possessions.	
1877 { Seaward	£ 6,018,926	£ 1,028,184	£ 142,411	£ 57,168	£ 489,856	£ 1,435,707	£ 162,403	£ 100,727	£ 33,866	£ 55,462 } £ 12,999,571
Overland	2,869,945	210,414	.....	.....	394,502	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1878 { Seaward	5,516,437	1,032,795	98,888	75,453	588,419	1,160,892	153,860	102,693	29,716	45,907 } 12,650,708
Overland	2,661,639	954,754	.....	.....	229,255	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1879 { Seaward	5,148,609	783,107	137,440	82,842	639,051	1,326,657	114,105	94,299	56,171	41,776 } 12,573,104
Overland	3,394,764	636,171	.....	.....	118,112	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1880 { Seaward	7,525,637	754,557	131,675	81,484	525,174	1,116,611	137,577	120,518	19,611	28,928 } 15,210,314
Overland	3,824,310	698,581	.....	.....	245,651	.....	.... ..	.....	..... }
1881 { Seaward	7,561,114	823,030	156,760	83,949	427,295	1,465,132	179,859	125,454	142,053	21,853 } 15,008,960
Overland	3,229,664	298,004	.....	.....	494,793	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1882 { Seaward	7,309,691	913,611	163,767	85,673	454,853	1,806,374	178,114	170,658	345,312	46,783 } 16,470,481
Overland	2,867,810	921,427	.....	.....	1,206,408	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1883 { Seaward	9,884,207	1,214,791	186,531	120,662	358,627	1,744,824	208,705	248,380	310,608	85,415 } 18,670,373
Overland	2,955,808	782,552	.....	.....	569,263	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1884 { Seaward	7,683,880	1,052,108	214,925	117,872	506,714	1,962,145	259,207	211,023	293,952	89,054 } 17,221,650
Overland	3,118,389	1,287,441	.....	.....	424,940	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1885 { Seaward	7,293,133	1,000,352	193,347	108,758	369,055	1,837,243	246,032	128,643	122,066	90,350 } 14,794,052
Overland	2,450,444	617,606	.....	.....	337,023	.....	.....	.....	..... }
1886 { Seaward	6,026,954	1,159,794	189,427	110,776	427,640	1,511,740	287,041	111,901	89,299	84,200 } 14,088,846
Overland	2,537,549	1,396,403	156,122 }

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No. 70.—Value of Exports to the Principal Foreign Countries—1877–86.

Year.	France.	New Caledonia.	Belgium.	Germany.	China.	South Sea Islands.	United States of America.	Other Foreign States.	Total Exports to Foreign States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	11,982	165,838	.....	.....	42,490	48,059	108,273	81,687	458,329
1878	9,934	151,516	.....	6,390	26,054	52,166	128,805	108,832	483,697
1879	13,619	158,193	.....	4,775	33,210	44,521	211,206	93,303	558,827
1880	144	181,703	.....	.....	14,844	52,657	172,648	50,492	472,488
1881	1,715	184,181	4,658	11,993	19,758	59,001	866,962	150,577	1,298,845
1882	9,744	228,280	21,659	11,661	28,958	53,718	676,598	176,256	1,206,874
1883	24,786	212,528	160,390	7,947	21,351	84,328	872,983	207,587	1,591,900
1884	183,890	210,552	326,488	43,979	21,741	80,611	366,732	121,647	1,355,640
1885	142,104	153,094	399,549	29,511	21,114	68,854	985,531	156,298	1,956,055
1886	149,509	111,332	424,938	54,471	16,462	50,261	521,216	139,178	1,467,367

No. 71.—Number and Value of Live Stock Imported into the Colony—1876–86.

Year.	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Pigs.		Other Stock.		Total.	
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1876	668	29,759	5,920	46,984	55,827	57,469	6	25	5	38	62,426	134,275
1877	1,563	28,951	3,563	15,419	330,062	162,627	28	80	8	146	335,224	207,223
1878	792	29,922	5,453	57,279	495,868	254,143	103	423	7	34	502,223	341,801
1879	1,522	28,326	7,203	48,684	160,123	97,016	865	921	30	150	169,743	175,097
1880	1,034	26,862	3,253	14,535	81,742	105,352	266	480	52	104	86,347	147,333
1881	1,885	40,071	9,602	63,539	198,329	196,411	272	263	8	69	210,096	300,353
1882	2,023	63,099	5,530	49,979	207,538	190,180	973	946	2	20	216,066	304,224
1883	3,067	84,649	3,460	39,319	205,558	302,249	291	335	1	2	212,377	426,554
1884	4,453	114,260	36,186	315,110	404,371	378,336	756	1,121	16	164	445,782	808,991
1885	6,708	168,495	36,602	195,602	1,134,439	788,337	970	1,590	4	8	1,178,723	1,154,032
1886	3,310	105,190	80,677	433,564	288,225	160,456	1,151	1,743	135	609	373,498	701,562

No. 72.—Number and Value of Live Stock Exported—the produce of the Colony—1876-86.

Year.		Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Pigs.		Other Stock.		Total.	
		No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1876	...	5,807	70,543	69,889	538,196	1,084,176	526,254	3,695	6,082	7	102	1,163,574	1,141,177
1877	...	5,147	84,339	62,875	427,294	751,412	380,489	1,213	1,997	.....	.....	820,647	894,119
1878	...	3,679	66,441	51,155	395,220	578,457	272,060	903	1,258	.....	.....	634,194	734,979
1879	...	2,236	33,449	58,050	405,051	978,537	466,582	5,952	10,526	90	280	1,044,865	915,888
1880	...	3,952	61,191	86,127	450,344	1,417,552	452,756	11,212	14,705	105	72	1,248,948	979,068
1881	...	3,498	56,868	55,540	256,929	1,068,362	452,867	5,647	8,410	25	240	1,133,072	775,314
1882	...	2,917	65,018	52,137	282,044	856,190	389,851	3,176	6,763	13	54	914,433	743,739
1883	...	2,798	64,993	42,260	245,362	1,006,227	490,679	1,167	2,693	22	376	1,052,474	804,103
1884	...	4,972	128,998	40,074	209,252	1,942,204	850,522	1,610	3,530	11	140	1,988,871	1,192,444
1885	...	4,709	142,421	52,999	293,129	1,237,155	534,760	764	1,414	.....	.....	1,295,627	971,724
1886	...	4,916	126,131	51,359	297,130	1,247,514	512,421	647	1,081	21	289	1,303,357	937,052

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No. 73.—Quantity and Value of Wool Exported—the produce of the Colony—1877-86.

Year.	Seaward.		Overland.		Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
1877	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
	22,655,077	1,686,434	5,919,716	409,242	102,150,246	5,256,038
1878	{ Washed ...	32,081,037	1,428,034	41,494,416	1,732,328	
	{ Greasy ...					
1879	{ Washed ...	21,083,426	1,471,408	21,383,893	1,379,959	111,833,017
	{ Greasy ...	34,984,358	1,482,253	34,381,340	1,389,696	5,723,316
1880	{ Washed ...	23,202,686	1,578,944	13,344,079	1,063,284	123,710,450
	{ Greasy ...	44,409,933	1,823,781	42,753,752	2,025,189	6,491,198
1881	{ Washed ...	22,776,347	1,557,890	15,644,537	1,206,116	154,871,832
	{ Greasy ...	67,705,821	2,952,217	48,745,127	2,324,402	8,040,625
1882	{ Washed ...	22,257,341	1,526,074	9,369,596	707,978	139,601,506
	{ Greasy ...	64,401,172	2,800,628	43,573,397	2,115,107	7,149,787
1883	{ Washed ...	22,878,417	1,583,090	12,548,345	958,494	146,221,182
	{ Greasy ...	63,396,005	2,745,333	47,398,415	2,146,174	7,433,091
1884	{ Washed ...	29,964,411	2,180,763	10,777,737	900,297	188,161,710
	{ Greasy ...	104,050,751	4,490,831	43,368,811	2,026,870	9,598,761
1885	{ Washed ...	28,786,434	2,050,960	11,090,192	1,005,791	173,986,303
	{ Greasy ...	91,605,801	3,904,019	42,503,876	1,992,330	8,953,100
1886	{ Washed ...	30,761,463	1,941,956	5,843,992	385,083	168,151,659
	{ Greasy ...	92,705,041	3,352,076	38,841,163	1,566,927	7,246,642
	{ Washed ...	27,576,597	1,516,222	13,891,189	928,463	173,985,640
	{ Greasy ...	87,316,233	2,921,834	45,201,621	1,662,077	7,028,596

IMPORTS—HOME CONSUMPTION.

No. 74.—Value of Principal Articles Imported for Home Consumption—1880–86.

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Agricultural Implements	27,808	39,829	65,303	105,462	77,931	56,946	54,119
Apparel—Wearing	253,258	305,222	336,064	367,625	807,799	909,942	1,234,823
Beer	153,469	153,125	208,875	262,137	296,926	356,414	386,280
Butter	6,922	29,739	82,560	81,224	137,370	99,370	147,545
Candles	23,169	71,162	119,946	64,164	162,273	148,643	73,865
Cement	39,338	116,058	119,946	112,057	211,487	208,756	211,591
Coin...	68,129	27,169	160,126	474,040	344,297	417,972	402,524
Copper Ore <i>a</i>	142,061	84,968	194,929	104,084	238,215	198,988	150,510
Drapery	2,201,566	2,985,582	3,637,536	3,455,421	2,780,602	2,994,069	2,563,767
Drugs and Medicines	98,088	170,193	117,089	193,814	246,467	296,621	181,532
Earthenware and Glassware	96,062	128,373	168,035	166,194	204,024	239,714	168,108
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	45,973	110,611	131,224	145,676	147,807	85,585	74,415
Flour	343,587	190,920	443,605	311,461	365,230	448,531	586,370
Fruit	120,157	190,122	186,644	205,105	262,163	245,601	249,701
Furniture	60,984	125,332	189,128	216,865	179,320	189,408	249,715
Glass	31,643	46,245	62,830	46,142	81,503	62,999	39,809
Gold...	1,113,394	1,165,535	978,712	754,304	1,309,862	1,106,071	1,459,815
Grain and Pulse	154,657	126,041	387,714	196,467	401,501	347,046	319,602
Hardware	287,075	446,889	615,019	654,426	584,010	531,794	535,191
Hay and Chaff	58,667	65,316	151,491	120,851	163,928	92,128	211,654
Hops	42,300	47,495	62,296	106,833	36,344	36,238	36,508
Instruments—Musical	62,012	102,818	141,397	144,633	152,942	132,560	94,297
Iron and Steel	504,322	518,217	939,679	773,761	835,213	1,118,402	644,320
Jams and Jellies	60,564	80,015	122,046	100,450	94,901	79,133	70,024
Jewellery	31,470	83,835	127,399	143,203	135,732	132,168	153,829
Leather—Manufactured <i>b</i>	306,155	358,370	510,647	469,242	451,824	540,916	501,640
Unmanufactured	36,522	55,995	65,699	59,518	68,320	64,742	56,149

a Refined, and afterwards re-exported.*b* Boots and Shoes.

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Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Liquors—Spirituos	364,134	462,141	462,771	440,156	529,358	481,851	436,845
Live Stock	141,989	298,889	293,490	409,468	766,093	1,069,540	627,089
Machinery	136,994	218,942	313,845	413,655	460,566	408,621	272,960
Machines—Sewing	40,316	63,409	74,917	61,580	54,669	27,863	37,058
Malt	107,379	94,720	126,809	117,942	143,537	141,008	145,423
Oil	123,569	139,481	135,996	138,632	192,551	167,141	163,892
Opium	66,933	44,412	56,006	67,179	41,497	39,014	63,869
Paint	45,704	59,806	75,236	54,289	83,396	75,816	61,849
Potatoes	91,256	96,626	190,980	152,261	213,400	197,170	233,380
Powder	51,143	61,773	87,169	90,442	109,840	94,953	64,702
Provisions	62,219	79,991	102,360	86,459	247,534	261,507	38,258
Railway Plant	246,128	296,823	361,603	283,016	404,994	527,204	277,829
Rice	54,338	93,036	75,146	47,112	97,435	61,417	72,879
Silver Plate and Plated Ware	35,449	66,571	85,886	75,615	70,163	73,041	68,591
Saddlery and Harness	48,994	56,616	75,315	83,340	65,434	53,009	48,575
Skins	81,319	102,560	104,726	131,061	132,616	141,653	130,003
Stationery, Books, &c.	303,668	422,822	456,178	400,720	496,876	534,630	510,396
Sugar	504,823	668,903	839,081	745,399	854,079	498,584	375,016
Tallow	101,739	89,052	84,366	89,328	49,501	40,501	40,673
Tea	398,764	500,562	410,293	277,782	495,145	495,154	275,655
Timber	173,045	205,715	417,693	395,156	385,724	460,414	433,677
Tin Ore <i>c</i>	106,509	119,152	213,745	250,152	195,148	98,905	126,605
Tin Plates and Ware	39,844	85,749	47,533	40,505	53,464	69,259	28,318
Tobacco	38,983	101,857	117,389	131,101	111,712	110,263	160,983
Toys and Fancy Goods	30,615	63,012	83,016	125,278	117,690	115,378	39,252
Upholstery	11,723	22,171	24,283	18,550	81,387	91,462	73,960
Watches and Clocks	56,090	60,459	82,134	108,926	104,391	96,950	117,155
Wine...	34,575	77,296	71,535	122,075	106,186	116,463	29,302

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IMPORTS—HOME CONSUMPTION.

No. 75.—Value of Principal Articles Imported, and afterwards Exported, during the years 1880–86.

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural Implements ...	4,253	5,609	7,974	14,613	9,403	6,068	5,338
Apparel—Wearing ...	19,350	14,362	21,041	30,792	30,792	38,374	35,696
Beer ...	28,445	32,376	31,973	28,469	26,039	33,268	33,174
Butter ...	141	1,002	7,862	7,636	9,778	18,825	11,991
Candles ...	14,509	8,869	7,909	5,738	7,592	8,110	8,274
Coin ...	25,593	10,514	53,734	17,447	15,627	18,255	8,016
Copper—Raw and Ore ...	67,668	92,025	52,747	70,006	185,353	104,695	108,317
Drapery ...	400,885	425,094	449,636	419,969	436,557	414,834	323,344
Drugs and Medicines ...	26,619	20,663	23,356	26,656	31,103	36,562	21,641
Earthenware and Glassware ...	32,605	36,904	41,747	35,422	41,429	39,046	27,593
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved...	25,799	33,363	25,935	35,984	36,635	33,324	28,576
Flour ...	48,442	197,531	199,946	167,023	154,426	75,784	63,002
Fruit... ...	15,141	20,434	23,275	25,767	19,518	28,684	31,079
Furniture ...	17,716	20,120	35,342	30,631	41,490	42,029	28,475
Gold... ...	7,600	32,983	190	.....	.....	892	2,880
Grain and Pulse ...	12,904	10,221	24,964	22,591	48,211	34,105	23,159
Hardware ...	85,686	96,070	122,821	139,196	132,882	117,338	82,058
Hay ...	33	1,705	2,298	2,250	17,480	9,918	8,174
Hops ...	3,579	4,498	14,559	16,277	14,391	5,705	2,825
Instruments—Musical ...	10,752	15,424	22,452	23,314	26,352	32,293	17,289
Iron and Steel, including Wire and Galvanized Iron.	74,145	92,862	132,979	162,927	119,518	100,074	88,663
Jewellery ...	44,659	37,541	38,821	40,521	42,891	36,962	21,244
Leather—Manufactured a ...	69,026	81,039	125,149	102,160	129,996	108,941	80,673
Unmanufacture	6,548	10,803	12,498	13,236	6,223	13,709	11,561

a Boots and Shoes.

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Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Liquors—Fermented and Spirituous	84,876	88,403	97,812	92,115	76,830	76,885	88,882
Live Stock	6,213	2,620	11,834	18,475	44,529	86,025	75,080
Machinery	27,229	60,530	74,916	96,105	116,871	76,650	53,691
Machines—Sewing	11,429	23,711	21,218	15,152	9,590	15,116	6,641
Nickel—Metal and Ore	38,150	131,830	158,818	71,900	45,470	24,230	8,162
Oil	23,472	27,144	25,934	32,335	44,119	42,122	39,802
Opium	15,858	13,773	13,168	12,749	13,466	8,013	15,390
Paint...	4,685	5,286	9,546	8,401	9,835	7,512	7,725
Potatoes	11,250	14,034	22,598	17,739	28,022	25,103	27,183
Provisions and Vegetables...	50,360	13,788	68,253	186,899	37,158	154,699	18,300
Rice	26,488	19,671	26,888	31,076	28,723	30,749	18,662
Silver Plate and Plated Ware	8,857	7,141	10,644	17,960	14,456	17,026	14,708
Saddlery and Harness	4,703	5,497	7,316	9,946	10,689	8,853	7,059
Skins...	9,990	10,991	4,470	27,452	8,675	25,693	.....
Stationery, Books, &c.	76,409	80,513	95,531	109,331	113,577	97,633	71,117
Sugar	57,760	20,705	26,887	22,696	33,322	39,176	109,642
Tallow	46,329	45,282	20,789	56,611	6,555	52,170	2,160
Tea	80,916	44,946	54,567	67,456	48,399	52,885	35,892
Tin—Ingots and Ore	232,403	256,937	261,999	257,666	241,809	306,572	252,406
Plates and Ware	7,444	10,347	16,398	11,102	5,676	7,329	5,633
Tobacco	44,685	48,834	53,868	53,151	56,083	74,379	59,913
Toys and Fancy Goods	67,067	63,450	74,896	84,324	77,345	71,517	37,443
Watches and Clocks	6,115	6,401	7,209	11,977	24,628	17,919	17,176
Wine...	40,098	25,535	31,686	24,198	19,063	20,449	17,378
Wool...	396,909	381,005	340,613	537,483	429,399	431,605	173,380

EXPORTS—HOME PRODUCE.

No. 73.—Value of Principal Articles of Home Produce or Manufacture Exported during the years 1880–86.

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Apparel and Drapery	£ 183	£ 5,863	£ 12,964	£ 6,658	£ 5,342	£ 4,491	£ 1,876
Coal	425,299	417,530	647,033	829,662	931,945	966,663	977,002
Coin	829,515	1,632,928	1,530,147	1,559,678	858,293	1,371,684	1,584,324
Copper	364,059	355,062	324,727	577,201	416,179	264,920	167,665
Flour	9,080	17,220	30,659	26,521	22,054	13,720	19,846
Fruit	90,381	106,185	88,198	117,224	98,339	114,501	112,371
Furniture	1,951	4,317	6,306	3,033	3,792	3,820	2,037
Gold	1,261	282,095	152,454	129,839	75,838	79,440	35,608
Grain and Pulse	109,565	127,407	64,117	60,762	65,393	80,143	57,856
Leather—Unmanufactured	102,437	134,895	142,473	98,224	124,548	103,026	100,930
" Boots and Shoes	48,097	45,150	48,578	52,610	55,378	45,710	23,164
Liquors—Fermented and Spirituous	14,907	8,570	12,285	7,400	14,548	11,041	12,160
Live Stock	979,442	775,827	744,714	786,295	1,196,136	972,972	937,846
Provisions	187,018	201,311	176,297	275,584	183,292	180,195	79,158
Silver and Silver Ore	21,878	13,026	9,024	18,113	142,954	266,813	492,029
Skins	183,100	208,021	263,856	295,603	299,736	273,089	303,885
Sugar	171,278	116,760	75,056	60,635	36,946	857	.....
Tallow	350,587	267,177	236,271	358,914	197,707	195,821	145,198
Timber	19,348	23,816	41,714	67,149	101,944	55,061	61,975
Tin	471,437	724,003	833,461	824,552	521,587	415,626	467,653
Wine	7,359	7,233	7,166	14,430	10,816	8,156	7,581
Wool	8,040,625	7,149,787	7,433,091	9,598,761	8,953,100	7,246,642	7,028,596

No. 77.—Classification of the Imports and Exports of the Colony for the ten years, 1877–86.

Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Clothing and Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
TOTAL IMPORTS.												
1877...	2,684,531	862,260	208,400	990,190	2,998,710	999,925	.....	1,274,010	886,065	3,565,417	137,086	14,606,594
1878...	2,651,807	700,447	342,336	1,037,366	3,360,315	682,107	.....	1,193,149	902,444	3,807,445	91,457	14,768,873
1879...	2,532,002	838,995	126,479	1,061,346	2,515,320	516,008	.....	1,396,969	999,117	4,052,988	159,623	14,198,847
1880...	2,394,791	705,597	148,202	1,434,520	2,915,059	761,549	.....	1,218,048	695,421	3,509,550	167,338	13,950,075
1881...	2,838,387	838,876	301,509	1,272,281	3,732,662	981,794	.....	1,237,566	1,140,116	4,861,302	204,833	17,409,326
1882...	3,656,424	903,812	305,524	1,621,222	4,444,277	996,591	.....	1,192,850	1,359,326	6,525,699	275,405	21,281,130
1883...	3,141,388	969,150	427,943	1,822,267	4,210,429	1,209,087	.....	1,246,791	1,429,560	6,242,957	260,585	20,960,157
1884...	3,861,455	1,054,402	810,627	1,883,870	4,051,731	1,158,574	.....	1,669,786	1,542,984	6,566,290	227,266	22,826,985
1885...	3,422,547	1,085,330	1,155,565	1,763,149	4,359,841	1,130,085	11,780	1,543,190	1,515,688	7,084,544	293,477	23,365,196
1886...	3,308,673	1,015,998	702,169	2,074,785	4,190,766	1,007,600	94,522	1,675,967	1,309,152	5,483,498	110,418	20,973,548
Total for 10 years... £)	30,492,005	8,974,867	4,528,754	14,960,996	36,779,110	9,443,320	106,302	13,648,326	11,779,873	51,699,690	1,927,488	184,340,731

NOTE.—It has been found possible to include only part of the Queensland overland trade in the above statement. The portion not included consisting mainly of live stock.

No 77—continued.

Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Clothing and Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total
NET IMPORTS (HOME CONSUMPTION).												
1877...	2,285,675	700,221	168,749	431,648	2,693,234	756,164	.....	1,203,168	715,773	3,131,465	99,436	12,185,533
1878...	2,387,474	622,699	315,209	609,866	2,953,344	536,068	.....	1,082,430	680,759	3,266,139	65,517	12,519,505
1879...	2,238,466	718,798	124,819	565,447	2,107,938	329,133	.....	1,286,609	782,993	3,597,446	136,023	11,887,672
1880...	2,011,382	568,424	141,989	757,428	2,487,986	415,599	.....	1,181,962	463,891	2,937,208	138,850	11,104,719
1881...	2,407,632	692,382	298,889	635,871	3,286,870	454,783	.....	1,215,435	910,611	4,176,545	176,298	14,255,316
1882...	3,121,984	733,005	293,695	1,045,799	3,965,700	494,853	.....	1,136,906	1,036,969	5,698,089	245,628	17,772,628
1883...	2,576,065	823,368	409,468	1,042,030	3,752,404	702,678	.....	1,222,844	1,114,090	5,321,282	239,777	17,204,006
1884...	3,368,290	932,470	766,098	1,181,176	3,576,552	640,554	.....	1,650,959	1,211,518	5,658,585	185,013	19,171,215
1885...	2,875,425	954,726	1,069,540	1,063,457	3,901,687	647,997	11,780	1,521,243	1,214,680	6,266,012	254,785	19,781,332
1886...	2,895,496	908,255	627,089	1,661,217	3,827,307	581,922	94,522	1,662,371	1,146,627	4,821,050	75,679	18,301,535
Total for 10 years... £ }	26,167,889	7,654,348	4,215,545	8,993,939	32,553,022	5,559,751	106,302	13,163,927	9,277,911	44,873,821	1,617,006	154,183,461

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No. 77—continued.

Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Clothing and Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
EXPORTS OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
1877...	389,856	162,039	39,651	558,542	305,476	243,761	.....	70,842	170,292	433,952	37,650	2,421,061
1878...	264,333	137,748	27,127	427,500	406,971	146,039	.....	110,719	221,685	481,306	25,940	2,249,368
1879...	293,536	120,197	1,660	495,899	407,382	186,875	.....	110,360	216,124	455,542	23,600	2,311,175
1880...	383,409	137,173	6,213	677,092	427,073	345,950	.....	36,086	231,530	572,342	28,488	2,845,356
1881...	430,755	146,494	2,620	636,410	445,792	527,011	.....	22,131	229,505	684,757	28,535	3,154,010
1882...	534,440	170,807	11,829	575,423	478,577	501,738	.....	55,944	322,357	827,610	29,777	3,508,502
1883...	565,323	145,782	18,475	780,237	458,025	506,409	.....	23,947	315,470	921,675	20,808	3,756,151
1884...	493,165	121,932	44,529	702,694	475,179	518,020	.....	18,827	331,466	907,705	42,253	3,655,770
1885...	547,122	130,604	86,025	699,692	458,154	482,088	.....	21,947	301,008	818,532	38,692	3,583,864
1886...	413,177	107,743	75,080	413,568	363,459	425,678	.....	13,596	162,525	662,448	34,739	2,672,013
Total for 10 years... £ }	4,324,116	1,380,519	313,209	5,967,057	4,266,088	3,833,569	484,399	2,501,962	6,765,869	310,482	30,157,270

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EXPORTS—HOME PRODUCE.

No. 77—continued.

Year.	Food and Beverages, including Breadstuffs.	Wines, Fermented and Spirituous Liquors.	Live Stock.	Animal and Vegetable Products, including Wool.	Clothing and Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, raw or partly worked up, not including Coal, Coin, and Bullion.	Coal.	Specie and Precious Metals.	Articles of Education, Art, and Amusement.	Manufactured Articles, not elsewhere included.	Articles Unclassified by Customs.	Total.
EXPORTS OF HOME PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
1877...	436,118	21,329	894,742	5,725,826	384	836,315	651,184	1,833,381	6,961	292,462	6,056	10,704,758
1878...	355,634	17,909	735,242	6,114,914	1,050	783,382	709,719	1,714,574	9,073	255,730	19,284	10,716,511
1879...	517,168	22,255	510,798	7,013,620	693	414,239	696,443	714,874	8,605	861,241	15,708	10,775,644
1880...	563,101	14,907	979,088	8,713,597	183	879,907	427,612	852,654	6,158	228,380	14,195	12,679,782
1881...	525,062	15,803	775,827	7,781,463	5,900	1,148,335	423,605	1,928,049	10,960	267,668	12,821	12,895,493
1882...	442,993	19,451	744,714	8,052,844	12,964	1,256,361	652,524	1,691,625	12,158	313,715	9,110	13,208,459
1883...	561,101	21,830	786,295	10,452,533	6,761	1,466,325	837,344	1,706,005	10,867	265,059	15,747	16,129,867
1884...	401,349	25,364	1,193,136	9,583,529	5,538	1,107,749	937,522	953,911	11,113	364,920	11,605	14,595,736
1885...	341,163	19,197	972,972	7,889,386	4,506	853,663	969,241	1,610,311	8,390	275,619	13,433	12,957,881
1886...	249,950	21,180	937,846	7,764,691	1,876	944,428	953,906	1,818,200	7,608	170,852	13,663	12,884,200
Total for 10 years ... £ }	4,393,639	199,225	8,530,660	79,092,403	39,855	9,690,704	7,259,100	1,482,584	31,622	3,295,646	91,893	127,548,331

NOTE.—It has been found possible to include only part of the Queensland overland trade in the above statement. The portion not included consisting mainly of live stock.

No. 78.—Value per Head of Mean Population of Principal Articles Imported for Home Consumption during the years 1876–86.

Articles.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Agricultural Implements	0 6	0 11	1 3	1 3	0 9	1 1	1 8	2 6	1 9	1 3	1 0
Apparel—Wearing	16 1	11 4	17 7	12 3	7 0	8 0	8 5	7 4	18 4	19 7	25 2
Beer	5 7	6 0	5 4	6 5	4 3	4 0	5 3	6 3	6 9	7 8	7 11
Butter	1 5	1 1	0 7	0 2	0 2	0 9	2 1	1 11	3 1	2 2	3 0
Candles	1 8	3 2	2 0	1 10	0 8	1 10	3 0	1 6	3 8	3 2	1 6
Drapery	59 1	71 4	72 4	62 6	60 8	78 6	91 6	82 10	63 2	64 4	52 4
Earthenware and Glassware	3 4	2 8	3 0	3 8	2 8	3 4	4 3	4 0	4 8	5 2	3 5
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	2 0	4 0	6 6	1 9	1 3	2 11	2 7	3 6	3 4	1 10	1 6
Flour	8 8	8 6	11 1	8 3	9 6	5 0	11 2	7 6	8 4	9 8	12 0
Fruit	3 5	4 2	3 6	2 7	3 4	5 0	4 8	4 11	5 11	5 3	5 4
Furniture	2 5	2 10	3 9	2 9	1 8	3 4	4 9	5 2	4 1	4 1	5 1
Grain and Pulse	8 9	9 8	7 7	4 7	4 3	3 4	9 9	4 9	9 1	7 5	8 11
Hardware	8 8	8 1	11 6	11 11	7 11	11 9	15 6	15 8	13 3	11 5	10 11
Hay and Chaff	1 4	3 0	0 4	0 7	1 7	1 9	3 9	2 11	3 9	2 0	4 4
Iron and Steel	8 2	18 10	18 7	13 2	13 11	13 8	22 10	18 7	18 11	24 0	15 6
Boots and Shoes	7 6	8 11	7 8	10 3	8 5	9 5	12 11	11 3	10 3	11 7	10 3
Liquors—Spirit	9 0	12 10	10 11	12 0	10 0	12 2	11 8	10 7	12 0	10 4	8 9
Machinery	4 0	8 0	5 2	5 10	3 9	5 9	7 11	9 11	10 6	8 9	5 7
Potatoes	3 8	4 0	3 3	2 0	2 6	2 6	4 9	3 8	4 10	4 3	4 9
Saddlery and Harness	2 0	2 1	1 6	1 7	1 4	1 6	1 11	2 0	1 6	1 2	1 0
Stationery, Paper, Books, &c.	9 8	15 4	11 0	9 11	8 4	11 1	11 6	9 7	11 3	11 6	10 2
Sugar	17 8	18 0	21 0	23 4	13 11	17 7	21 2	17 10	19 5	10 9	7 6
Tea	8 2	11 1	8 11	11 9	11 0	13 2	10 4	6 8	11 3	8 8	5 8
Tobacco	1 8	3 6	5 5	1 4	1 1	2 8	3 0	3 2	2 6	2 4	3 3
Toys and Fancy Goods	4 0	1 9	2 1	2 0	0 10	1 6	2 11	3 0	2 8	2 6	0 9
Wine	2 3	3 4	2 9	2 4	0 11	2 0	1 10	2 11	2 5	2 6	1 11

No. 79.—Value per Head of the Mean Population of the Principal Articles of Home Produce and Manufacture Exported during the years 1876–86.

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EXPORTS—PER HEAD.

Articles.		1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Coal	...	20 8	20 0	21 6	20 1	11 9	11 0	16 3	19 10	21 2	20 9	19 4
Coin *	...	52 1	57 8	50 3	20 0	22 10	42 11	38 6	37 4	19 6	29 6	32 4
Copper	...	7 3	9 9	10 6	7 5	10 0	9 4	8 2	13 10	9 5	5 8	3 5
Flour	...	0 2	0 7	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 9	0 7	0 6	0 4	0 5
Fruit	...	1 5	2 1	2 2	2 6	2 6	2 10	2 2	2 9	2 3	2 5	2 3
Gold	...	0 5	0 5	1 5	0 2	0 0 ¹	7 5	3 10	3 1	1 9	1 8	0 9
Grain and Pulse	...	3 0	4 7	4 8	3 10	3 0	3 4	1 7	1 5	1 6	1 9	1 1
Leather	...	3 1	2 11	2 9	1 10	2 10	3 7	3 7	2 4	2 10	2 3	2 1
,, Boots and Shoes	...	1 11	1 10	1 5	1 5	1 4	1 2	1 2	1 3	1 3	1 0	0 6
Live Stock	...	37 9	28 5	22 4	26 6	27 0	20 5	18 8	18 10	27 2	20 11	19 2
Provisions	...	3 3	4 6	1 10	4 5	5 2	5 4	4 5	6 7	4 2	3 10	1 7
Silver and Silver Ore	...	0 6	0 3	0 5	0 6	0 7	0 4	0 2	0 5	3 3	5 9	8 8
Skins	...	2 8	4 3	2 8	4 0	5 1	5 6	6 7	7 1	6 7	5 10	6 2
Sugar	...	5 7	4 4	4 1	4 11	4 9	3 1	1 10	1 5	0 10	.....	.....
Tallow	...	3 11	4 8	2 11	6 3	9 8	7 0	5 11	8 7	4 6	4 2	3 0
Timber	...	0 10	0 10	1 1	1 0	0 6	0 7	1 0	1 7	2 4	1 2	1 3
Tin	...	12 6	16 2	12 1	10 10	13 0	19 1	20 11	19 9	11 10	8 11	9 6
Wool	...	93 0	167 2	174 0	188 0	221 7	188 1	187 0	230 1	203 3	155 8	143 5

* Coined at Mint, but mostly from gold the produce of other Colonies.

No. 80.—Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade per Head—1871–86.

Imports.							Exports.			Trade.
Year.		Imports for Home Consumption.	Total Imports per Head.	New South Wales Produce Exported.	Other Produce Exported.	Total Exports per Head.	Total Trade per Head.			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
1871	...	17 10 6	21 10 3	18 3 4	3 19 9	22 3 1	43 13 4			
1872	...	13 12 2	18 3 5	15 6 9	4 11 3	19 18 0	38 1 5			
1873	...	15 12 10	20 2 7	18 13 9	4 9 9	23 3 6	43 6 1			
1874	...	17 15 9	21 12 8	18 2 5	3 16 11	21 19 4	43 12 0			
1875	...	19 14 10	23 9 11	19 16 11	3 15 1	23 12 0	47 1 11			
1876	...	19 0 11	22 16 9	17 16 6	3 15 10	21 12 4	44 9 1			
1877	...	19 15 5	23 12 4	17 11 0	3 16 11	21 7 11	45 0 3			
1878	...	19 10 11	22 19 3	16 11 0	3 8 4	19 19 4	42 18 7			
1879	...	17 3 1	21 0 0	15 13 4	3 6 11	19 0 3	40 0 3			
1880	...	15 12 2	19 10 7	17 13 10	3 18 5	21 12 3	41 2 10			
1881	...	18 19 9	23 2 8	17 6 1	4 2 11	21 9 0	44 11 8			
1882	...	22 2 0	27 0 3	17 16 7	4 8 3	22 4 10	49 5 1			
1883	...	21 5 11	25 15 11	19 15 9	4 10 0	24 5 9	50 1 8			
1884	...	22 2 11	26 5 11	16 18 10	4 3 0	21 1 10	47 7 9			
1885	...	21 13 1	25 10 0	14 2 11	3 16 11	17 19 10	43 9 10			
1886	...	18 13 4	21 7 10	13 3 1	2 14 6	15 17 7	37 5 5			

No. 81.—Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered at Ports in the Colony, from each Country, in the year 1886.

Countries whence arrived.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
South Australia	265	120,802	4,332	15	9,301	183	280	130,103	4,515
Western Australia	13	7,190	230	.....	.....	.....	13	7,190	230
Argentine Republic ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	.....	1	1,100	14	1	1,100	14
Great Britain	238	395,063	13,171	.....	.....	.....	238	395,063	13,171
Belgium	9	10,760	179	.....	.....	.....	9	10,760	179
Brazil	1	1,999	27	.....	.....	.....	1	1,999	27
China	5	5,770	247	.....	.....	.....	5	5,770	247
Cape Colony	1	759	17	.....	.....	.....	1	759	17
France ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	.....	17	40,769	2,673	17	40,769	2,673
Fiji	40	27,640	1,099	1	260	7	41	27,900	1,106
Germany	12	13,637	259	28	28,064	889	40	41,701	1,148
Hong Kong	40	51,406	2,165	.....	.....	.....	40	51,406	2,165
India	12	16,026	754	.....	.....	.....	12	16,026	754
Mauritius	3	1,031	34	2	719	25	5	1,750	59

No. 81—*continued.*

Countries whence arrived.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Mexico ..	.....	.....	.....	1	1,397	21	1	1,397	21
New Zealand ...	228	131,728	5,190	11	3,682	82	239	135,410	5,275
New Caledonia	8	2,544	74	26	38,161	3,067	34	40,705	3,141
New Guinea ...	2	579	26	.....	.....	.....	2	579	26
Norway ...	3	3,354	60	8	5,351	108	11	8,705	168
Queensland ...	528	310,783	14,653	14	7,319	148	542	318,102	14,801
South Sea Islands	22	4,566	190	11	5,682	255	33	10,248	445
Tasmania ...	120	66,217	2,468	2	788	19	122	67,005	2,487
United States of America ...	38	39,752	1,214	53	58,526	1,557	91	98,278	2,771
Victoria ...	844	654,601	21,731	62	47,292	810	906	701,893	22,541
Sailing ...	755	490,056	10,793	189	130,559	2,409	944	620,615	13,202
Steam ...	1,677	1,376,151	57,327	63	117,852	7,449	1,740	1,494,003	64,776
Total ...	2,432	1,866,207	68,120	252	248,411	9,858	2,684	2,114,618	77,978

No. 82.—Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared in the Colony of New South Wales to each Country in 1886.

Countries to which departed.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
South Australia	237	89,966	3,366	.....	.....	.....	237	89,966	3,366
Western Australia	21	7,985	276	.....	.....	.....	21	7,985	276
Great Britain	107	216,751	9,772	5	7,999	299	112	224,750	10,071
Burmah	7	7,046	143	1	940	13	8	7,986	156
Canada	1	799	18	.....	.....	.....	1	799	18
Chili	36	31,837	597	8	6,331	117	44	38,168	714
China	11	8,516	234	11	6,951	142	22	15,467	376
Ceylon	4	6,871	166	1	700	12	5	7,571	178
Cape Colony	1	209	7	.....	.....	.....	1	209	7
Columbia	1	1,367	21	1	895	15	2	2,262	36
Fiji	51	26,815	1,130	2	673	17	53	27,488	1,147
France	2	1,158	23	17	35,005	2,268	19	36,163	2,291
Germany	1	896	19	4	7,608	456	5	8,504	475
Guam	3	1,199	43	.....	.....	.....	3	1,199	43
Guatemala	.....	.....	.....	1	538	9	1	538	9
Holland	2	2,121	55	1	699	12	3	2,820	67
Hong Kong	46	56,466	2,175	24	25,201	354	70	81,667	2,529
India	33	49,917	1,324	3	4,895	104	36	54,812	1,428
Italy	1	295	7	.....	.....	.....	1	295	7
Java	10	12,209	308	17	12,582	232	27	24,791	540
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	2	1,138	26	2	1,138	26
Mauritius	11	3,677	92	3	995	32	14	4,672	124

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Countries to which departed.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Mexico...	2	2,277	40	5	3,375	62	7	5,652	102
New Guinea	2	579	26	.....	.....	.....	2	579	26
New Zealand	274	148,408	5,732	8	2,295	58	282	150,703	5,790
New Caledonia	20	11,560	464	31	47,497	3,525	51	59,057	3,989
Nicaragua	...	.....	.....	1	608	16	1	608	16
Peru	3	2,786	54	1	867	18	4	3,653	72
Philippine Islands	10	13,265	265	13	11,188	205	23	24,453	470
Queensland	502	296,818	14,530	5	1,802	38	507	298,620	14,568
Russia	1	1,193	14	3	1,931	37	4	3,124	51
Spain	...	.....	.....	2	1,016	24	2	1,016	24
Sandwich Islands	2	1,272	27	22	14,644	256	24	15,916	283
Singapore	2	2,730	64	1	1,258	11	3	3,988	75
Sumatra	2	1,634	31	3	1,054	24	5	2,688	55
Siam	...	.....	.....	3	1,335	27	3	1,335	27
South Sea Islands	21	3,868	158	17	9,315	370	38	13,183	528
Tasmania	81	41,736	1,587	.....	.....	.....	81	41,736	1,587
United States	160	215,510	4,170	45	50,460	1,299	205	265,970	5,469
Victoria	823	610,782	21,367	3	1,673	31	826	612,455	21,398
Sailing	810	514,049	10,995	198	141,818	2,488	1,008	655,807	13,483
Steam	1,681	1,366,469	57,310	66	121,650	7,621	1,747	1,488,119	64,931
Total	2,491	1,880,518	68,305	264	263,468	10,109	2,755	2,143,986	78,414

No. 83.—Number of Vessels, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered—1876-86.

Year.	Number of Vessels.				Tonnage.				Crews.			
	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
1876...	448	134	1,731	2,313	333,981	79,370	661,074	1,074,425	13,565	2,263	30,219	46,047
1877...	393	161	1,807	2,361	346,356	110,923	678,927	1,136,206	13,127	3,476	31,709	48,312
1878...	533	187	1,749	2,469	424,530	132,069	710,775	1,267,374	15,039	3,813	31,487	50,339
1879...	506	169	1,716	2,391	407,535	118,570	742,272	1,268,377	15,008	3,852	32,281	51,141
1880...	377	116	1,615	2,108	388,661	84,950	768,847	1,242,458	16,637	2,880	34,507	54,024
1881...	483	145	1,626	2,254	533,740	113,107	809,392	1,456,239	19,276	3,283	36,096	58,655
1882...	627	207	1,603	2,437	668,990	162,842	854,788	1,686,620	22,174	3,819	35,940	61,933
1883...	657	238	1,692	2,587	696,080	233,695	1,003,414	1,935,189	24,023	9,204	41,275	74,502
1884...	751	247	1,937	2,935	860,968	240,213	1,183,336	2,284,517	30,759	8,850	47,662	87,271
1885...	584	271	1,746	2,601	766,292	270,156	1,051,859	2,088,307	26,001	9,755	42,165	77,941
1886...	557	252	1,875	2,684	740,449	248,411	1,125,758	2,114,618	25,160	9,858	42,960	77,978

No. 84.—Total Tonnage of Vessels Entered and Cleared with Cargoes and in Ballast at all Ports in New South Wales from and to places outside the Colony—1872–86.

F Year.	Entered.			Cleared.			Entered and Cleared.		
	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.	Cargoes.	Ballast.	Total.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1872 ...	506,108	268,382	774,490	806,225	7,325	813,550	1,312,333	275,707	1,588,040
1873 ...	559,350	315,454	874,804	878,018	9,656	887,674	1,437,368	325,110	1,762,478
1874 ...	662,963	353,406	1,016,369	968,180	6,345	974,525	1,631,143	359,751	1,990,894
1875 ...	788,165	320,921	1,109,086	1,046,271	12,830	1,059,101	1,834,436	333,751	2,168,187
1876 ...	811,472	262,953	1,074,425	1,035,441	17,856	1,053,300	1,846,913	280,809	2,127,725
1877 ...	840,637	295,569	1,136,206	1,093,382	8,393	1,101,775	1,934,019	303,962	2,237,981
1878 ...	912,457	354,917	1,267,374	1,179,015	13,115	1,192,130	2,091,472	368,032	2,459,504
1879 ...	930,681	337,696	1,268,377	1,252,455	19,892	1,272,347	2,183,136	357,588	2,540,724
1880 ...	1,024,695	217,763	1,242,458	1,174,102	16,219	1,190,321	2,198,797	233,982	2,432,779
1881 ...	1,184,896	217,343	1,456,239	1,325,082	5,179	1,330,261	2,509,978	220,522	2,786,500
1882 ...	1,361,140	325,480	1,686,620	1,586,707	23,338	1,610,045	2,947,847	348,818	3,296,665
1883 ...	1,550,544	384,645	1,935,189	2,043,193	27,855	2,071,048	3,593,737	412,500	4,006,237
1884 ...	1,888,527	395,990	2,284,517	2,315,984	60,457	2,376,441	4,204,511	456,447	4,760,958
1885 ...	1,742,941	345,366	2,088,307	1,991,389	53,381	2,044,770	3,734,330	398,747	4,133,077
1886 ...	1,760,649	353,969	2,114,618	2,103,351	40,635	2,143,986	3,864,000	394,604	4,258,604

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No. 85.—Total Tonnage of Vessels (sailing and steam) Entered and Cleared with from and to places

Year.	Sydney.		Newcastle.		Grafton		Tweed River.		Richmond River.	
	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.
1872 ...	418,164	360,735	342,514	427,845	4,251	6,977	628	735	5,050	4,122
1873 ...	474,203	367,351	389,121	498,468	2,162	4,141	1,159	1,195	6,172	5,619
1874 ...	499,326	422,693	510,291	543,693	1,428	3,184	867	741	4,457	4,214
1875 ...	590,700	468,423	510,902	573,626	2,180	4,004	1,491	1,365	3,813	3,790
1876 ...	635,269	502,866	433,423	535,738	703	3,451	1,448	1,363	2,138	2,142
1877 ...	662,217	511,623	469,349	577,676	1,452	2,896	1,157	1,008	2,031	615
1878 ...	712,303	511,801	542,745	665,885	892	1,751	1,405	1,405	1,657	634
1879 ...	759,980	581,694	492,163	651,501	278	1,266	882	912	1,162	615
1880 ...	827,738	641,996	400,598	516,480	90	477	902	902	766	585
1881 ...	955,531	655,161	481,695	645,543	...	357	2,746	2,746	630	172
1882 ...	1,101,756	844,677	559,228	737,772	199	310	4,169	3,970	...	...
1883 ...	1,260,595	1,115,411	656,916	926,956	202	469	3,477	3,368	...	...
1884 ...	1,554,118	1,277,843	708,449	1,066,462	585	1,685	3,548	3,150	...	...
1885 ...	1,608,169	1,283,888	452,946	722,865	1,420	3,966	4,320	4,320	...	...
1886 ...	1,638,802	1,399,545	416,518	686,179	4,088	6,260	3,506	3,578	...	...

NOTE.—The totals of years prior to 1886 do

No. 86.—Number and Tonnage of

Year.	From Great Britain.	From British Colonies.									
		Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.	
		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876 ...	120	128,523	811	394,545	228	84,612	105	32,944	397	166,462	1 89
1877 ...	151	170,349	891	443,076	168	70,116	118	31,736	361	150,194	...
1878 ...	145	173,708	903	486,985	179	88,219	135	37,104	436	176,334	...
1879 ...	143	183,590	843	466,983	182	80,657	116	35,109	428	180,867	...
1880 ...	148	211,372	743	460,851	171	85,702	124	45,274	289	123,344	1 181
1881 ...	207	299,220	794	530,278	169	102,966	128	43,762	269	110,928	...
1882 ...	257	374,299	731	561,660	201	124,081	161	65,243	314	131,380	1 277
1883 ...	240	370,877	803	654,675	179	131,659	164	68,299	284	141,640	...
1884 ...	258	409,630	750	646,596	205	153,930	169	85,815	384	196,027	4 2,449
1885 ...	259	432,144	707	585,004	168	126,668	139	82,932	313	172,018	4 1,965
1886 ...	238	395,063	906	701,893	280	130,103	122	67,005	239	135,410	13 7,190

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Cargoes and in Ballast at each of the Principal Ports of New South Wales, 1872-86, beyond the Colony, 1872-86.

Eden.		Wollongong.		Other Ports on Seaboard.		Murray River Ports.		Darling River Ports.		Total.		Year.
Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entd.	Cleared.	Entered.	Cleared.	
3,883	13,136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	774,490	813,550	1872
1,987	10,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	874,804	887,674	1873
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,016,369	974,525	1874
...	7,893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,109,086	1,059,101	1875
1,444	7,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,074,425	1,053,300	1876
...	7,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,136,206	1,101,775	1877
532	8,731	7,840	11,923	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,267,374	1,192,130	1878
1,128	18,609	12,784	17,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,268,377	1,273,347	1879
6,771	18,156	5,593	11,725	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,242,458	1,190,321	1880
7,727	19,550	7,910	6,732	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,456,239	1,330,261	1881
18,237	16,173	3,031	7,143	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,686,620	1,610,045	1882
9,112	16,678	4,887	8,166	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,935,189	2,071,048	1883
14,475	15,192	3,342	12,109	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,284,517	2,376,441	1884
14,674	14,405	6,450	14,998	328	328	...	...	...	...	2,088,307	2,044,770	1885
...	...	7,506	10,396	1,400	2,166	17,432	9,688	25,366	26,174	2,114,618	2,143,986	1886

not include Murray and Darling River trade.

Vessels entered Inwards—1876-86.

Queensland.		Other British Possessions.		From South Sea Islands.		From Fisheries.		From United States of America.		From other Foreign States.		Total.	Year.	
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.			
404	134,667	79	42,234	40	9,760	1	411	27	41,781	100	38,397	2,313	1,074,425	1876
428	139,198	37	20,984	42	11,844	1	286	35	43,701	129	54,723	2,361	1,136,206	1877
407	142,327	55	38,167	31	9,349	...	...	46	58,479	122	56,702	2,469	1,267,374	1878
385	141,568	60	41,829	43	8,039	...	...	43	52,366	148	77,369	2,391	1,268,377	1879
376	144,623	67	46,238	40	6,894	...	...	31	41,673	118	76,306	2,108	1,242,458	1880
370	151,224	56	49,406	65	18,911	...	...	36	49,364	160	100,180	2,254	1,456,239	1881
438	187,497	87	71,025	32	5,152	1	315	61	68,334	153	97,357	2,437	1,686,620	1882
574	261,911	95	81,757	25	3,792	1	237	63	68,608	159	151,734	2,587	1,935,189	1883
735	382,415	153	144,609	28	7,049	2	629	85	90,246	162	165,122	2,935	2,284,517	1884
607	306,211	118	108,890	37	6,844	92	91,608	157	174,023	2,601	2,088,307	1885
542	318,102	101	98,420	33	10,248	91	98,278	119	152,906	2,684	2,114,618	1886

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No. 87.—Tonnage of Sailing and Steam Vessels of each Nation

Nation.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
British ...	172,034	271,625	339,608	369,652	333,981	346,356	424,530
British Possessions ...	513,446	530,448	586,697	654,220	661,074	678,927	710,775
American ...	65,326	32,291	43,696	45,134	49,222	70,888	86,593
German ...	7,807	13,000	10,240	9,291	10,995	9,783	10,708
French ...	9,165	18,081	18,040	14,182	13,199	12,867	14,395
Norwegian ...	1,592	1,664	2,370	1,337	649	3,539	3,432
Dutch ...	3,337	3,267	8,971	7,147	1,422	7,949	10,914
Italian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	973
Swedish ...	1,110	577	1,509	2,492	1,620	3,511	1,667
Austrian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilian ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russian ...	.....	.....	.....	1,677	794	.....	836
Portuguese ...	.....	.....	.....	632	.....	632	632
South Sea Islands ...	406	549	405	270	405	135	.....
Other Nations ...	367	3,302	4,883	3,052	1,053	1,619	1,601
Total Tons ...	774,490	874,804	1,016,369	1,109,086	1,074,425	1,136,206	1,267,374

No. 88.—Number and Tonnage of

Year.	To British Colonies.											
	To Great Britain.		Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.	
			No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876 ...	45	54,389	678	303,376	218	81,586	115	33,003	375	142,595	2	784
1877 ...	50	63,214	734	328,238	185	62,862	113	32,826	357	149,028	2	462
1878 ...	47	70,738	733	348,076	188	70,171	141	43,485	405	163,176	1	783
1879 ...	68	99,276	711	371,772	200	75,177	144	49,497	387	157,575	5	1,277
1880 ...	98	154,091	625	365,348	187	87,114	117	48,603	287	127,105	6	1,881
1881 ...	94	160,658	590	372,110	150	81,325	125	49,826	284	127,003	2	618
1882 ...	108	195,082	567	423,704	188	102,961	149	63,144	305	156,150	9	3,015
1883 ...	130	222,296	725	583,158	164	105,856	153	71,877	308	186,342	11	4,047
1884 ...	132	251,304	709	618,973	232	163,333	185	95,380	408	239,227	27	11,660
1885 ...	120	232,522	624	502,441	167	114,480	112	60,656	309	158,732	17	8,743
1886 ...	112	224,750	826	612,455	237	89,966	81	41,736	282	150,703	21	7,985

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Entered at Ports in New South Wales with Cargoes and in Ballast—1872–86.

1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	Nation.
Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
407,535	388,661	533,740	668,990	696,080	860,968	766,292	740,449	British.
742,272	768,847	809,392	854,788	1,005,414	1,183,336	1,051,859	1,125,758	British Possessions.
74,077	49,693	72,005	73,183	76,315	78,678	92,197	79,321	American.
8,884	19,995	14,441	51,756	43,293	45,051	47,828	45,550	German.
11,873	7,196	13,747	15,758	91,821	86,083	91,166	81,940	French.
2,058	600	1,658	8,961	13,184	15,689	25,057	26,400	Norwegian.
11,714	9,603	7,256	1,359	2,620	.....	729	.....	Dutch.
2,223	800	.....	.....	4,015	1,655	749	Italian.	
3,209	630	1,163	4,182	1,923	2,742	4,908	5,319	Swedish.
.....	.....	.....	2,305	2,623	1,453	1,098	1,751	Austrian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,184	2,825	Chilian.
1,022	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	871	.....	Russian.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Portuguese.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	South Sea Islands.
3,510	3,433	2,837	5,338	1,916	6,502	1,463	4,526	Other Nations.
1,268,377	1,242,458	1,456,239	1,686,620	1,935,189	2,284,517	2,088,307	2,114,618	

Vessels Entered Outwards—1876–86.

Queensland.		Other British Possessions.		To South Sea Islands.		To Fisheries.		To United States of America.		To other Foreign States.		Total.		Year.
No.	Tens.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
329	113,195	197	113,445	47	33,288	1	286	112	115,485	146	61,868	2,265	1,053,300	1876
361	118,677	141	106,275	51	13,671	2	350	86	107,103	219	119,069	2,301	1,101,775	1877
348	113,018	174	124,781	57	17,900	...	...	103	127,235	190	112,767	2,387	1,192,130	1878
333	123,011	121	100,980	58	15,103	...	...	101	121,076	268	157,603	2,396	1,272,347	1879
319	125,620	129	77,968	49	9,760	...	...	64	84,961	162	107,870	2,043	1,190,321	1880
356	136,014	123	118,905	72	23,546	...	...	116	145,813	191	114,443	2,103	1,330,261	1881
425	161,413	167	148,915	41	9,090	...	...	120	167,821	261	178,750	2,340	1,610,045	1882
565	221,138	197	183,671	50	14,149	2	551	144	182,448	325	295,515	2,774	2,071,048	1883
609	301,027	225	221,936	56	21,218	1	314	139	182,453	287	269,616	3,010	2,376,441	1884
545	259,432	213	224,607	39	9,836	...	...	141	188,370	296	284,951	2,583	2,044,770	1885
507	298,620	193	189,771	38	13,183	...	...	205	265,970	253	248,847	2,755	2,143,986	1886

SHIPPING.

No. 89.—Tonnage of Sailing and Steam Vessels of each Nation Cleared

Nation.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
British	173,184	259,481	332,222	367,317	341,663	343,992	391,725
British Possessions ...	542,077	557,299	555,466	606,738	632,739	653,453	676,461
American	72,983	28,300	42,720	44,236	51,752	68,575	77,286
German	6,929	14,405	8,810	9,145	10,160	9,776	9,912
French	10,269	2,549	17,478	14,381	12,613	10,719	13,540
Norwegian	702	1,664	1,882	1,817	660	1,670	5,891
Dutch	4,647	2,608	10,400	8,862	330	6,894	11,944
Italian ... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	973
Swedish	1,414	577	1,509	1,880	1,619	3,512	1,551
Austrian ... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilian ... ...	.....	.....	.....	798	.....	.....	.....
Russian ... ...	.....	.....	.....	842	794	.....	836
Portuguese ... ...	.....	.....	.....	632	.....	632	632
South Sea Islands ...	1,066	549	405	135	270	135	.....
Other Nations ..	279	2,242	3,633	2,318	711	2,417	1,379
Total Tons ...	813,550	887,674	974,525	1,059,101	1,053,300	1,101,775	1,192,130

No. 90.—Average Tonnage and Crews of Vessels Inwards—1876–86.

Year.	Average Tonnage of Vessels.			Average Crews of Vessels.		
	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.	British.	Foreign.	Colonial.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.			
1876	746	592	382	30	17	17
1877	881	689	376	33	21	18
1878	796	706	406	28	20	18
1879	805	701	433	30	23	19
1880	1,031	732	476	44	25	21
1881	1,105	780	498	40	23	22
1882	1,067	787	533	35	18	22
1883	1,060	982	594	37	38	24
1884	1,146	973	611	41	36	25
1885	1,312	997	602	44	36	24
1886	1,329	986	600	45	39	23

SHIPPING.

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at Ports in New South Wales with Cargo and in Ballast—1872-86.

1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	Nation.
Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
403,280	372,027	486,828	632,357	733,645	855,287	753,799	763,472	British.
739,646	730,389	734,039	821,621	1,097,816	1,285,958	1,042,632	1,117,046	British Possessions.
78,467	50,865	67,743	70,041	75,967	80,112	76,993	85,231	American.
10,242	15,089	15,453	52,649	50,729	42,656	43,890	47,758	German.
12,152	7,020	14,045	13,275	87,158	86,817	86,347	85,289	French.
2,274	600	850	9,460	14,669	14,502	26,677	28,690	Norwegian.
11,809	10,231	8,022	2,029	2,620	.....	729	.....	Dutch.
2,223	799	.....	.....	.....	1,655	1,655	749	Italian.
4,780	630	1,319	3,053	4,122	1,273	5,175	6,523	Swedish.
....	....	....	2,269	3,435	2,799	1,098	1,751	Austrian.
....	....	....	....	....	1,813	2,297	2,951	Chilian.
1,712	....	....	1,025	586	.....	871	.....	Russian.
....	....	....	....	....	....	44	.....	Portuguese.
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	South Sea Islands.
5,762	2,671	1,962	4,266	283	3,567	1,563	4,526	Other Nations.
I,272,347	I,190,321	I,330,261	I,610,045	2,071,048	2,376,441	2,044,770	2,143,986	

No. 91.—Vessels, registered in various Ports of Australia, Tasmania, and New Zealand, Lost on the Coast of New South Wales, from 1880-86.

Year.	Under 50 tons.	50 to 100.	100 to 200.	200 to 300.	300 to 400.	400 to 500.	Over 500 tons.	Total.
1880	...	7	2	3	.....	.....	2	14
1881	...	6	1	1	3	1	1	13
1882	...	5	4	2	1	1	1	15
1883	...	2	6	3	1	.....	.....	12
1884	...	6	3	1	.....	.....	1	11
1885	...	3	4	1	1	1	1	11
1886	...	6	5	7	1	1	3	23

VESSELS REGISTERED.

No. 92.—Vessels Registered in

Year.	Barquentines.			Barques.			Brigs.			Brigantines.			Cutters.			Ketches.			Lighters.			
	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	
1876	11	5,101	123	3	703	23	2	255	12	1	20	3	8	344	26	...
1877	6	1,830	58	4	773	30	5	657	32	5	140	14	21	810	70	...	...
1878	9	3,610	108	...	...	4	511	26	6	168	19	18	576	55	...	...
1879	5	2,272	48	1	173	9	5	673	38	1	11	2	15	729	60	...	...
1880	5	1,755	50	3	710	32	6	967	49	4	126	10	13	560	51	...	...
1881	10	6,656	140	3	654	21	4	521	21	3	139	10	8	410	29	...	...
1882	1	195	6	7	4,041	98	3	831	34	7	1,027	56	3	88	11	8	345	33	1	185
1883	1	175	6	8	3,546	80	2	379	15	4	714	34	3	78	7	10	539	46
1884	3	942	32	10	4,329	131	1	249	7	4	728	36	3	66	8	16	872	79	4	364
1885	4	1,510	40	1	284	11	3	501	30	3	31	5	13	722	60	1	25	
1886	3	2,048	24	2	406	13	4	716	25	1	49	3	4	201	8	6	397	

No. 93.—Vessels built in the

Year.	Barquentines.		Brigantines.		Cutters.		Ketches.		Lighters.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876	...	1	309	2	255	...	.....	5	196	...
1877	4	473	3	101	15	616	...
1878	...	1	598	1	98	...	.....	12	425	...
1879	2	198	...	.....	11	536	...
1880	2	277	3	104	9	392	...
1881	1	139	3	194	...
1882	...	1	76	...	.....	3	88	5	191	...
1883	...	1	175	3	78	4	225	...
1884	...	1	245	3	66	11	664	4
1885	1	102	2	25	9	467	1
1886	1	49	3	165	6

VESSELS BUILT.

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the Colony from 1876-86.

Luggers.			Schooners.			Ships.			Sloops.			Steamers.			Total No.	Total Tons.	Total Men.	Year.
No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.	No.	Tons.	Men.				
12	114	38	26	2,262	138	1	724	14	...	...	...	31	2,997	193	95	12,520	570	1876
2	14	6	24	2,240	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	5,131	262	103	11,595	595	1877
1	8	3	17	2,238	108	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	5,392	278	96	12,503	597	1878
6	96	13	21	1,916	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	3,561	291	90	9,431	572	1879
6	110	12	16	1,638	98	1	1,137	23	...	...	...	20	2,159	168	74	9,162	493	1880
5	46	10	18	1,874	97	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	2,713	115	74	13,013	443	1881
28	364	45	22	1,819	133	5	5,246	86	2	105	6	41	7,764	509	128	22,010	1,020	1882
30	352	60	22	1,663	121	3	3,120	51	...	...	...	72	9,406	575	155	19,972	995	1883
9	109	18	26	2,372	164	1	819	15	...	...	...	84	11,484	707	161	22,334	1,214	1884
4	55	10	20	1,748	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	6,387	394	99	11,263	674	1885
9	84	13	15	1,094	63	1	974	7	...	...	...	47	3,489	235	92	9,458	401	1886

Colony from 1876-86.

Luggers.		Schooners.		Sloops.		Steamers.		Total Vessels.	Total Tonnage.	Year.
No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.			
12	114	18	1,192	...	....	22	1,399	60	3,465	1876
2	14	10	791	...	....	27	2,515	61	4,510	1877
1	8	8	653	...	....	26	1,660	49	3,442	1878
6	96	12	708	...	....	19	797	50	2,335	1879
4	32	11	1,133	...	....	12	861	41	2,799	1880
5	46	5	363	...	....	15	765	31	1,507	1881
17	219	13	779	2	105	24	3,276	65	4,734	1882
30	352	12	1,055	...	....	52	5,368	102	7,253	1883
9	109	11	1,070	...	....	64	5,145	103	7,663	1884
3	42	13	139	...	....	36	2,992	95	3,792	1885
8	76	9	643	...	....	40	2,637	67	3,976	1886

CUSTOMS REVENUE.

No. 94.—Revenue Collected by the Department

Particulars of Receipt.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.
	£	£	£	£	£
*Wines and Spirits	545,755	585,477	556,158	641,085	708,923
Ale and Beer	35,666	33,864	37,746	31,567	34,579
*Tobacco	102,532	108,928	93,159	97,396	126,827
Tea	67,370	63,259	83,793	74,042	86,212
Coffee and Chicory	9,618	9,355	9,037	10,983	10,610
Sugar	54,139	67,748	69,327	60,055	50,949
Methylated Spirits	804	1,150	1,038	1,102	1,340
Opium	9,173	9,349	10,514	10,940	13,068
Rice	9,738	11,325	13,585	10,300	15,069
Malt and Hops	11,870	13,710	13,281	13,390	15,753
Dried Fruits	43,403	37,993	32,382	37,027	57,857
Specific Duties	167,559	174,742	167,770	176,162	244,345
Pilotage	15,358	17,776	18,005	14,462	20,463
Harbour and Lights Rates	9,073	10,352	9,960	8,197	10,330
Removal Dues	2,845	3,024	2,997	2,022	2,698
Tonnage and Wharfage Rates ... ...	.....	.....	.....	6,974	14,177
Tax on Chinese ... ... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	960
Bonded Warehouse License Fees	5,580	5,907	6,247	6,097	7,031
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,420	3,835	2,251	2,115	2,973
<i>Ad Valorem</i> Duties ... ... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total £	1,093,903	1,157,792	1,127,250	1,203,916	1,424,165

* Excise included, for amount of

CUSTOMS REVENUE.

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of Customs during the years 1877-86.

1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	Particulars of Receipt.
£	£	£	£	£	
744,488	767,949	807,419	785,948	751,581	Wines and Spirits.
41,574	46,972	53,209	61,202	69,097	Ale and Beer.
128,658	128,894	207,037	267,804	269,065	Tobacco.
87,829	75,719	100,053	98,915	105,979	Tea.
10,850	10,638	13,406	13,543	13,188	Coffee and Chicory.
49,234	54,175	153,894	144,449	125,859	Sugar.
1,673	1,776	1,980	2,116	2,407	Methylated Spirits.
12,960	14,135	20,413	23,075	22,148	Opium.
15,224	13,855	17,193	15,835	17,533	Rice.
18,939	17,266	18,304	20,409	30,366	Malt and Hops.
51,522	50,597	62,017	54,400	50,919	Dried Fruits.
280,015	266,580	336,119	380,673	429,157	Specific Duties.
26,455	30,508	32,124	31,739	31,716	Pilotage.
13,553	14,599	16,249	16,389	15,610	Harbour and Lights Rates.
4,034	4,377	4,319	4,290	4,703	Removal Dues.
8,909	7,096	7,895	7,396	6,973	Tonnage and Wharfage Rates.
8,520	12,200	10,740	10,600	12,840	Tax on Chinese.
6,350	6,565	6,961	7,164	8,662	Bonded Warehouse License Fees.
3,476	3,962	6,859	6,318	5,945	Miscellaneous Receipts.
.....	.....	.....	.....	277,227	<i>Ad Valorem</i> Duties.
1,514,263	1,527,863	1,876,191	1,952,265	2,250,975	

which see Part V, page 112.

PART IV.—MILLS AND MANUFACTORIES.

No. 95.—Manufactories in each Electorate with Number of Hands Employed during the years 1885 and 1886, and the Power and Value of Plant, &c., for 1886.

Electorates.	1885.				1886.				Horse-power.	Approximate value of Plant or Machinery.		
	Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.						
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.				
METROPOLITAN.												
Balmain	51	1,042	5	1,047	91	1,243	10	1,253	499	133,652	
Canterbury	129	1,235	29	1,264	156	1,413	27	1,440	1,072	304,030	
Glebe	34	306	4	310	49	429	51	480	279	32,915	
Newtown	84	1,150	63	1,213	112	1,268	56	1,324	610	109,167	
Paddington	20	329	...	329	46	517	7	524	221	51,705	
Redfern	178	2,938	227	3,165	170	2,758	223	2,981	1,487	383,455	
St. Leonards	47	461	...	461	60	595	...	595	356	192,980	
East Sydney	226	4,386	1,602	5,988	309	5,270	1,627	6,907	937	353,538	
South Sydney	117	2,868	351	3,219	113	2,899	168	3,067	775	203,495	
West Sydney	290	5,925	977	6,902	357	6,969	832	7,801	2,619	886,881	
Total Metropolitan	1,176	20,640	3,258	23,898	1,463	23,361	3,001	26,362	8,855	2,711,818	
COUNTRY.												
Albury	34	232	...	232	39	269	1	270	311	51,396	
Argyle	45	218	...	218	35	237	...	237	135	21,730	
Balranald	46	353	1	354	23	168	...	168	71	38,720	
Bathurst	49	400	39	439	37	317	6	323	192	25,397	
Bogong	51	237	...	237	38	215	2	217	152	26,200	
Boorowa	12	31	...	31	11	33	...	33	53	6,830	
Bourke	24	282	...	282	34	822	2	824	310	113,155	
Braidwood	16	62	...	62	23	100	...	100	73	7,645	
Camden	72	467	3	470	46	601	4	605	639	201,580	
Carcoar	53	364	...	364	16	90	...	90	117	12,070	
Clarence	66	1,293	...	1,293	46	752	4	756	1,242	119,710	
Central Cumberland	138	2,279	48	2,327	111	1,836	33	1,869	1,268	337,141	
Durham	19	60	5	65	37	127	8	135	100	14,025	
Eden	67	422	7	429	186	889	223	1,112	735	91,188	
Forbes	29	89	...	89	32	122	...	122	164	26,300	
Glen Innes	40	188	...	188	30	170	...	170	193	27,227	
Gloucester	24	213	...	213	19	241	...	241	198	13,450	
Goulburn	54	601	34	635	50	594	28	622	415	76,450	
Grafton	49	357	2	359	50	386	3	389	260	43,310	
Grenfell	13	48	...	48	18	46	...	46	88	10,553	
Gundagai	20	58	...	58	32	109	3	112	152	18,570	
Gunnedah	13	41	...	41	19	103	...	103	167	16,270	

MILLS AND MANUFACTORIES.

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 No. 95—*continued.*

Electorates.	1885.			1886.			Approximate value of Plant or Machinery.	
	Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.		Number of Works, &c.	Hands Employed.			
		Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.		
COUNTRY.								
Gwydir	16	80	...	80	17	79	...	79
Hartley	21	278	11	289	30	442	15	457
Hastings and Manning	44	332	1	333	36	427	...	427
Hawkesbury	63	315	...	315	52	252	...	252
Hume	37	149	3	152	26	146	...	146
Hunter	10	47	...	47	11	48	11	59
Upper Hunter	37	102	...	102	29	55	...	55
Illawarra	38	270	2	272	36	360	1	361
Inverell	22	113	...	113	17	55	...	55
Kiama	43	299	...	299	20	227	...	227
Macleay	45	250	1	251	28	241	1	242
East Macquarie ... ... ...	...	...	...	...	8	39	...	39
West Macquarie ... ... ...	...	...	...	...	2	24	1	25
East Maitland	19	190	...	190	23	241	...	241
West Maitland	62	442	...	442	55	455	2	457
Molong	16	49	...	49	14	40	...	40
Monaro	40	157	...	157	34	179	5	184
Morpeth	7	53	1	54	6	76	...	76
Mudgee	34	127	4	131	33	167	4	171
Murray	43	162	...	162	29	214	5	219
Murrumbidgee	70	451	...	451	56	456	29	485
Namoi	27	100	1	101	23	89	...	89
Nepean	69	222	2	224	63	263	5	268
Newcastle	80	1,351	45	1,396	70	1,340	45	1,385
New England	65	290	9	299	50	274	12	286
Northumberland	51	321	...	321	44	406	...	406
Orange	46	243	4	247	33	219	4	223
Parramatta	44	369	...	369	33	325	1	326
Patrick's Plains	14	71	...	71	23	63	...	63
Queanbeyan	23	165	...	165	20	114	4	118
Richmond	119	1,788	...	1,788	95	1,937	12	1,949
Shoalhaven	56	318	9	327	63	301	24	325
Tamworth	28	154	...	154	49	257	...	257
Tenterfield	45	124	14	138	30	108	...	108
Tumut	21	74	...	74	14	45	...	45
Wellington	24	74	...	74	13	73	...	73
Wentworth	56	491	...	491	30	239	...	239
Wollombi	28	199	...	199	22	137	...	137
Yass Plains	13	33	...	33	22	118	3	121
Young	36	137	...	137	40	160	2	162
Total Country ...	2,436	18,685	246	18,931	2,231	18,928	493	19,421
General Total ...	3,612	39,325	3,504	42,829	3,694	42,289	3,494	45,783

MANUFACTORIES.

No. 96.—Manufactories of each kind, with the Number of Hands, Power, and Value of Plant employed during the year 1886.

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
Agricultural Implements—					Horse-power.	£
Agricultural and Dairy Implements ...	49	281	.....	281	87	18,515
Raw Material, the Production of Pastoral Pursuits—						
Boiling-down and Glue ...	39	172	.....	172	116	12,668
Bone-dust and Manure ...	9	24	.....	24	75	2,950
Fellmongering ...	20	105	.....	105	42	7,140
Tanneries ...	97	625	2	627	356	86,585
Wool-pressing ...	8	359	.....	359	267	55,080
Wool-washing ...	63	1,506	3	1,509	691	124,225
	236	2,791	5	2,996	1,547	288,648
Connected with Food and Drink or the Preparation thereof—						
Aerated Waters ...	243	1,099	8	1,107	478	107,279
Beer, Ale, Stout, &c., &c. ...	74	986	1	987	683	268,835
Bread and Biscuits (Steam) ...	12	319	79	398	180	40,050
Butter ...	26	91	36	127	72	7,737
Cheese ...	132	587	225	712	66	14,191
Coffee and Spice ...	5	83	1	84	34	1,900
Condiments ...	4	14	2	16	.....	350
Confectionery (Wholesale) ...	28	318	69	387	62	23,435
Fish (Preserved) ...	2	11	.....	11	.....	210
Flour ...	133	570	1	571	2,650	333,362
Ice and Refrigerating ...	8	267	.....	267	94	57,950
Jam ...	5	120	52	172	35	5,200
Maizena and Oatmeal ...	3	39	6	45	40	18,000
Meat-curing ...	6	17	.....	17	15	1,880
Meat-preserving ...	5	277	.....	277	240	20,550
Meat (Small Goods) ...	29	162	.....	162	77	3,925
Self-raising Flour and Baking Powder ...	8	59	10	69	20	2,400
Sugar (Refined) ...	2	213	1	214	156	160,000
Sugar (Raw) ...	64	2,259	.....	2,259	2,552	500,055
Spirits (Rum) ...	6	27	.....	27	.....	5,790
Vinegar ...	8	35	35	6	970
Wine ...	6	17	2	19	510
	809	7,570	493	8,063	7,460	1,574,579

MANUFACTORIES.

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No. 96—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
Clothing and Textile Fabrics—					Horse-power.	£
Boots and Shoes	...	68	1,856	416	2,272	145
Clothing	...	71	1,144	1,686	2,830	4
Hats and Caps	...	19	116	45	161	.....
Oil-skin Clothing	...	2	11	27	38	.....
Stays and Belts	...	2	.....	8	8	.....
Shirts	...	2	4	26	30	.....
Umbrellas	...	3	6	5	11	.....
Woollen Cloth	...	8	104	78	182	238
		175	3,241	2,291	5,532	387
						75,715
Building Materials—						
Bricks	...	330	2,959	.....	2,959	1,414
Joinery	...	92	1,174	.....	1,174	826
Lime	...	33	262	.....	262	27
Modelling and Patterns	...	12	98	.....	98	.....
Monumental	...	39	214	.....	214	13
Paint	...	2	16	.....	16	28
Pottery	...	27	267	1	268	207
Saw-mills	...	323	3,272	12	3,284	5,177
Stone-dressing	...	2	40	.....	40	42
Stone-crushing	...	12	208	.....	208	175
Stone Quarries	...	48	664	.....	664	98
		920	9,174	13	9,187	8,007
						1,001,720
Metal Works, &c.—						
Iron and Brass Foundries	...	78	1,293	.....	1,292	666
Galvanized Iron and Plumbing	..	36	505	.....	505	50
Machinery and Engineering	...	75	2,197	.....	2,197	1,173
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories	...	6	1,736	.....	1,736	324
Smelting Pyrites, Cobalt, &c.	...	12	726	.....	726	263
Tinware	...	42	328	6	334	14
Wire	...	11	101	.....	101	41
Ironworkers (other)	...	11	46	.....	46	14
		271	6,932	6	6,938	2,545
						868,685
Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—						
Dry Docks, Floating Docks, and Slips...	13	232	.....	232	166	73,650
Masts and Blocks	...	2	6	.....	6	4
Sails, Tarpaulins, &c.	...	12	86	1	87	3
Ship and Anchor Smiths	...	2	19	.....	19	14
Ship and Boat Building, &c.	...	67	733	.....	733	99
		96	1,076	1	1,077	286
						129,058

MANUFACTORIES.

No. 96—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—					Horse-power.	£
Bedding	27	166	45	211	54	8,675
Curled Hair and Flock	6	20	.....	20	68	2,500
Furniture	90	890	43	933	113	21,317
Mats and Matting	2	107	.....	107	3	700
Picture-frames	14	37	.....	37	.....	690
Window-blinds	7	69	3	72	12	1,460
	146	1,289	91	1,380	250	35,342
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving—						
Account Books, &c.	22	257	186	443	3	2,850
Engraving, &c.	8	44	.....	44	.....	1,800
Paper	1	47	13	60	20	30,000
Paper Bags	4	17	37	54	1	1,500
Printing	138	3,022	31	3,053	429	398,430
Printing and other Inks	2	5	.....	5	8	445
	175	3,392	267	3,659	461	435,025
Goldsmiths and Philosophical Instrument Makers—						
Electro-plating	3	15	2	17	6	1,300
Jewellery	21	138	.....	138	.....	2,530
Philosophical Instruments	7	26	4	30	1	6,350
	31	179	6	179	7	10,180
Carriage Works—						
Coaches and Waggons	215	1,879	3	1,900	167	78,208
Wheels, Wood-bending, &c. ...	2	17	.....	17	5	815
	217	1,914	3	1,917	172	79,023
Chemical Works—						
Chemicals	5	56	2	58	57	16,870
Patent Medicines, &c.	3	6	3	9	10	1,400
	8	62	5	67	67	18,270
Glass—						
Glass	2	52	.....	52	1	7,200
Glass Silvering and Staining ...	3	36	.....	36	16	3,700
	5	88	.....	88	17	10,900
Waterworks—						
Waterworks and Irrigation ...	14	66	66	1,138	148,700

MANUFACTORIES.

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No. 96—*continued.*

Description of Manufactory or Work.	Number of Works.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant or Machinery.	Value of Plant or Machinery.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
Saddlery and Harness—					Horse-power	£
Saddlery and Harness	95	486	5	491	15 9,042
Whips, Saddle-trees, &c.	5	14	.....	14	.....
		100	500	5	505	15 9,042
Paving and Asphalting—						
Asphalt, Wood, and Tar Pavement	13	73	.....	73	50 31,855
Miscellaneous—						
Bark-chopping	7	17	.....	17	22 850
Baskets	8	65	2	67	..... 160
Brooms, Millet	3	22	.....	22	..... 290
Brushes	4	24	.....	24	..... 340
Chaff and Crushed Corn	166	546	.....	546	611 32,884
Coke	3	47	.....	47	1 3,000
Cooperage	14	45	.....	45	6 1,320
Dyeing	10	29	13	42	6 1,680
Electric Light	5	13	.....	13	90 14,200
Gas	28	1,084	.....	1,084	479 494,313
Kerosene Oil	4	375	.....	375	327 291,500
Ladders and Barrows	5	21	.....	21	..... 160
Laundries (Steam)	6	18	127	145	36 8,530
Packing Cases	6	37	.....	37	38 1,530
Perambulators	3	12	3	17	..... 450
Ropes	8	110	.....	110	III 31,795
Saw-mills (Firewood)	63	274	.....	274	389 20,620
Scales	3	8	.....	8	..... 240
Soap, Candles, and Soap Powder	46	308	13	321	331 89,745
Soda Crystals	3	10	.....	10	3 700
Tobacco, Cigars, &c.	17	559	144	703	120 64,500
*Others not included above	13	37	6	43	126 7,693
		425	3,661	308	3,969	2,696 1,066,500
General Total	3,694	42,289	3,494	45,783	25,192 5,801,757

* Where more than one kind of work is carried on under one establishment, it has frequently been found impossible to separately distinguish the number of hands, power, and value of plant of each work; in such cases the whole have been credited to the principal industry, hence the small number of hands, &c., included under this and some other heads.

JOINERY.—Only establishments using steam were included in returns prior to 1886. METAL-WORKERS.—Horse-shoers have been omitted in the return for 1886. Government railway shops have been set down as one establishment, and included in South Sydney. FURNITURE.—Only works using steam were returned prior to 1886. PRINTING.—All establishments are included in 1886. SADDLERS.—Manufacturing establishments only returned for 1886. WATER-WORKS.—Sydney waterworks not included. TOBACCO.—Cigarette Factories not included (see page 110.)

MANUFACTORIES.

No. 97.—Number of some of the Principal Works

Name of Work or Industry.	1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.	
	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.
Agricultural and Dairy Implements.	49	263	43	372	47	221	55	254	65	285
Raw Materials, the production of Pastoral Pursuits—										
Boiling-down	40	103	38	65	37	95	51	167	48	299
Fellmongering...	55	298	43	255	48	294	51	276	55	339
Tanneries	110	760	105	708	98	708	107	755	121	831
Wool-washing...	71	986	72	599	60	695	60	708	60	607
Connected with Food and Drink or the preparation thereof—										
Aerated Waters	137	681	146	769	155	795	143	724	174	909
Bread and Biscuits	6	67	6	85	6	127	6	119	10	186
Breweries	38	456	43	538	45	561	45	595	50	637
Confectionery	49	403	49	454	56	477	61	349	58	365
Distilleries	2	16	2	17	2	13	2	7	1	10
Flour	163	623	165	664	161	546	150	566	159	695
Ice and Refrigerating	4	21	4	27	6	39	3	49	4	59
Jam	6	34	11	46	12	51	11	114	10	27
Meat, Preserved and Salted ...	19	318	19	316	19	234	17	193	14	90
Sugar, Raw and Refined	96	1,214	77	1,211	74	1,613	76	1,205	80	1,887
Clothing and Textile Fabrics—										
Boots	104	1,915	71	1,883	71	2,123	75	2,379	71	2,226
Clothing	42	2,710	53	2,983	50	2,125	48	1,580	53	2,072
Hats	13	127	12	69	14	107	13	85	13	71
Shirts	13	349	12	309	10	317	9	191	7	171
Woollen Cloth	8	207	9	198	9	276	8	214	7	335
Building Materials—										
Bricks	336	1,715	383	1,946	375	1,812	390	2,727	412	2,476
Joinery (Steam)	11	174	12	158	12	141	27	322	30	552
Lime	100	264	123	290	87	217	98	270	98	333
Modelling	2	12	4	24	3	19	4	26	5	35
Monumental	5	27	6	36	6	36	8	47	9	78
Pottery...	37	197	40	290	38	281	33	228	34	262
Saw-mills	215	1,694	228	2,077	232	2,072	243	2,458	280	2,382

MANUFACTORIES.

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with the Hands Employed, for each year, 1877-1886.

MANUFACTORIES.

No. 97—*continued.*

Name of Work or Industry.	1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.	
	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.
Metal Works and Machinery—										
Iron, Brass, Copper, and Tin...	109	1,603	116	1,227	125	1,442	136	1,757	140	1,765
Machinery and Engineering...	44	588	48	802	41	606	48	933	58	1,201
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories.	11	795	8	843	7	823	7	976	6	1,001
Smelting	22	653	25	488	21	552	16	1,181	14	1,517
Wire	3	14	3	18	2	15	4	21	2	24
Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—										
Docks and Slips	9	186	9	194	10	132	10	109	11	148
Sail-making, &c.	10	35	11	50	11	55	11	55	11	69
Ship and Boat Building ...	106	593	100	510	93	531	81	416	67	466
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—										
Bedding	20	109	29	141	21	125	26	119	25	138
Furniture	3	26	6	89	6	92	5	76	7	72
Picture Frames	9	28	12	25	13	42	14	30	12	28
Window Blinds	4	29	5	37	6	45	7	44	7	62
Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—										
Account Books, Binding, &c.	13	177	12	190	13	195	13	161	16	312
Paper	2	70	2	73	2	56	2	73	2	75
Printing	28	914	29	1,219	36	1,443	34	1,449	45	1,449
Miscellaneous—										
Brushes	2	15	3	36	3	44	2	43	2	34
Coaches and Waggons ...	140	1,049	135	1,164	151	1,224	166	1,450	173	1,578
Dyeing...	5	12	6	17	5	13	6	35	10	51
Gas	11	207	11	275	10	325	12	342	15	541
Kerosene Oil	2	89	2	81	2	56	2	61	2	44
Packing Cases...	5	45	3	31	6	40	6	110	6	40
Rope	6	120	5	82	4	74	4	84	6	85
Saddle and Harness ...	171	685	207	906	185	687	218	896	229	988
Soap, Candle, and Soap Powder	36	173	34	180	34	169	38	203	38	232
Stone Crushing	1	3	2	11	2	11	3	27	16	63
Tobacco	26	550	24	492	20	425	17	514	18	487

NOTE.—Where more than one kind of work is carried on under one establishment, it has frequently been found impossible credited to the principal industry.

JOINERY.—Only establishments using steam were included in returns prior to 1886.

METAL-WORKERS.—Horse-shoers

in South Sydney.

PRINTING.—All establishments

Waterworks not included.

TOBACCO.—Cigarette Factories not included.

For totals see Table No. 97.

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No. 97—*continued.*

1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		Name of Work or Industry.
Works.	Hands.									
131	1,736	140	1,785	160	1,768	174	1,838	167	2,178	Metal Works and Machinery—
72	1,404	70	1,440	78	1,729	86	1,875	75	2,197	Iron, Brass, Copper, and Tin.
8	1,482	7	1,594	8	2,141	9	2,171	6	1,736	Machinery and Engineering.
										Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories.
21	1,444	12	1,729	14	1,013	25	783	12	726	Smelting.
2	27	3	27	4	31	9	142	11	101	Wire.
										Ship Building, Repairing, &c.—
10	154	14	194	17	352	15	284	13	232	Docks and Slips.
12	60	10	51	14	58	16	61	12	87	Sail-making, &c.
70	522	68	548	74	1,004	74	890	67	733	Ship and Boat Building.
										Furniture, Bedding, &c.—
26	174	28	203	36	265	36	240	27	211	Bedding.
10	115	10	175	8	156	11	220	90	933	Furniture.
13	40	16	51	24	75	21	51	14	37	Picture Frames.
7	57	8	62	8	70	10	82	7	72	Window Blinds.
										Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—
13	286	15	328	21	421	22	478	22	443	Account Books, Binding, &c.
2	88	2	120	1	100	1	60	1	60	Paper.
54	1,600	65	1,761	72	2,142	81	2,531	138	3,053	Printing.
										Miscellaneous—
2	36	3	36	6	48	6	53	4	24	Brushes.
182	1,539	203	1,848	229	1,936	245	2,144	215	1,900	Coaches and Waggons.
9	41	10	45	11	47	10	38	10	42	Dyeing.
17	408	19	526	20	589	27	1,008	28	1,084	Gas.
2	23	2	60	2	54	2	195	4	375	Kerosene Oil.
7	37	7	51	8	44	9	54	6	37	Packing Cases.
6	34	6	100	7	128	9	148	8	110	Rope.
231	997	250	1,054	266	1,068	253	956	100	505	Saddle and Harness.
40	263	38	220	34	204	40	223	46	321	Soap, Candle, and Soap Powder.
40	214	36	402	65	668	61	550	12	208	Stone-crushing.
22	676	22	723	21	688	16	668	17	703	Tobacco.

to separately distinguish the number of hands, power, and value of plant of each work; in such cases the whole have been

have been omitted in the return for 1886. Government Railway Shops have been set down as one establishment, and included are included in 1886. SADDLERS.—Manufacturing establishments only returned for 1886. WATERWORKS.—Sydney

No. 98.—Number of Females employed in Principal Industries during the years 1877-86.

Name of Establishment.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Account Book, &c., Manufactories	71	64	68	64	84	83	131	144	177	186
Bakeries (Steam) ...	....	....	5	11	14	26	33	53	62	79
Bedding Manufactories	23	45	22	31	35	43	60	52	60	45
Boot "	305	299	373	341	377	341	377	418	433	409
Clothing "	2,081	2,138	1,487	830	1,260	994	1,071	1,112	1,794	1,686
Confectionery ,,	64	79	74	33	44	34	47	45	60	69
Gingerbeer, Aerated Waters, &c.	10	5	11	6	14	14	189	12	23	7
Hat Manufactories	70	24	30	26	12	23	24	45	55	45
Jam "	4	10	13	10	5	8	12	23	23	52
Printing Works	29	30	54	19	9	.....^a	24	26	76	31
Paper-box, &c.	4	6	7	10	22	4	2	19	24	37
Shirt Manufactories	344	309	314	175	166	96	.....	50	100	26
Soap Powder ,,	12	23	14	22	23	39	30	28	26	11
Steam Washing Works	22	3	4	21	41	48	79	85	84	127
Tobacco Manufactories	62	62	41	56	50	86	90	155	257	144
Woollen Cloth ,,	51	53	119	100	157	119	112	137	189	78
Other Industries, not enumerated above	65	89	63	73	100	155	115	82	61	462
	3,217	3,239	2,699	1,828	2,413	2,113	2,396	2,486	3,504	3,494

^a No return.

No. 99.—Number of Works and Hands Employed during the years 1877–86.

Year	Metropolitan Electorates.			Country Electorates.			General Total.		
	No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.		No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.		No. of Manufactories, &c.	No. of Hands employed.	
		Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.
1877...	810	10,488	3,070	14,558	1,792	11,227	147	11,374	2,602
1878...	867	12,184	3,052	15,236	1,856	10,568	187	10,755	2,723
1879...	905	12,523	2,481	15,004	1,756	10,492	218	10,710	2,661
1880...	971	15,043	1,643	16,686	1,816	11,463	185	11,648	2,787
1881...	995	15,671	2,222	18,893	1,985	13,227	191	13,418	2,980
1882...	1,023	17,062	1,903	18,965	2,180	15,012	210	15,222	3,203
1883...	1,049	17,872	1,971	19,843	2,217	14,974	425	15,399	3,266
1884...	1,137	19,969	2,257	22,226	2,361	17,144	232	17,376	3,498
1885...	1,176	20,640	3,258	23,898	2,436	18,685	246	18,931	3,612
1886...	1,463	23,361	3,001	26,362	2,231	18,928	493	19,421	3,694

No. 100.—Boiling-down Works: Number of Hands Employed, and Quantities of Tallow and Lard Produced during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Boiling-down Establishments.	Hands.	Estimated Quantity of New South Wales Tallow exported.	Estimated Quantity of New South Wales Tallow locally consumed.	Estimated Quantity of Tallow produced.	Estimated Quantity of Lard produced.	Value of Plant.			
1877	...	36	89	ewt.	73,435	88,846	162,281	cwt. £	31,808
1878	...	34	50	ewt.	36,646	78,205	114,851	45,136	.....
1879	...	33	83	ewt.	110,381	48,305	158,686	76,272	.....
1880	...	47	155	ewt.	192,572	75,862	268,434	78,848	.....
1881	...	47	282	ewt.	148,017	73,504	221,521	95,200	.....
1882	...	39	148	ewt.	100,613	92,035	192,648	39,312	.....
1883	...	42	169	ewt.	156,568	95,740	252,308	22,848	.....
1884	...	41	220	ewt.	98,773	100,816	199,589	23,184	.....
1885	...	36	272	ewt.	128,810	96,774	225,584	19,418	.....
1886	...	40	172	ewt.	99,451	110,850	210,301	7,114	*13,158	

* Information not obtained previous to this year.

No. 101.—Boot Factories: Hands Employed and Quantities Manufactured during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Boots made.	Value of Plant.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
1877	104	1,610	305	1,915	Pairs.	£
1878	71	1,584	299	1,883	.....	.....
1879	71	1,750	373	2,123	.....	.....
1880	75	2,038	341	2,379	.....	.....
1881	71	1,849	377	2,226	.....	.....
1882	62	1,695	341	2,036	.....	.....
1883	61	1,748	377	2,125	.....	.....
1884	68	1,871	418	2,289	.....	.....
1885	65	1,672	433	2,105	.....	.....
1886	68	1,856	416	2,272	*1,881,210	*28,570

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

No. 102.—Brick Works: Hands Employed, Number of Bricks Manufactured, and Power and Value of Plant, during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Hands.	Number of Bricks made.	Horse-power of Plant.	Value of Plant.
1877	336	1,715	.....	.....	.....
1878	383	1,946	.....	.....	.....
1879	375	1,812	.....	.....	.....
1880	390	2,727	.....	.....	.....
1881	412	2,476	.....	.....	.....
1882	478	3,106	.....	.....	.....
1883	448	3,002	.....	.....	.....
1884	431	3,078	.....	.....	.....
1885	449	3,617	.....	.....	.....
1886	330	2,959	*243,831	*1,414	*315,869

* Particulars not ascertained previous to this year.

No. 103.—Breweries: Hands Employed, and Quantities Manufactured, during the years 1881–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Quantity Manufactured, Ale, Beer, &c.	Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Plant.
1881	50	637	*Gallons.	£	
1882	56	699	9,642,800	.....	.....
1883	59	747	10,800,000	.....	.....
1884	60	788	12,175,300	.....	.....
1885	70	805	13,068,920	.....	.....
1886	74	987	14,716,000	.....	.....
			13,178,912	†268,835	†683

* Quantities are approximate, and have been computed by the Chief Inspector of Distilleries. † Particulars not ascertained previous to this year.

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No. 104.—Distilleries: Quantity of Spirit Distilled, with Hands Employed, during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Distilleries.	Hands Employed.	Material used—Molasses.	Spirit Distilled (Rum).	Value of Plant.
1877	2	16	cwt.	Proof gallons.	
1878	2	17	26,531	150,737	.....
1879	2	13	20,576	124,156	.....
1880	2	7	32,592	128,285	.....
1881	1	10	20,882	110,063	.....
1882	20	31	14,399	74,377	.....
1883	10	24	25,035	118,066	.....
1884	8	16	31,596	152,766	.....
1885	7	28	34,523	160,403	.....
1886	6	27	39,380	193,343
			41,098	202,420	*5,790

* Information not obtained previous to this year.

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No. 105.—Gas Works: Hands, &c., Employed, Quantity of Gas Manufactured during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Gasworks.	Hands Employed.	Quantity of Gas made.	Value of Plant.	Power of Plant.
1877	11	207	1,000 cubic feet.	£	Horse-power.
1878	11	275	.....	.....	.....
1879	10	325	.....	.....	.....
1880	12	342	.....	.....	.....
1881	15	541	.....	.....	.....
1882	17	408	.....	.....	.....
1883	19	526	.....	.....	.....
1884	20	589	.....	.....	.....
1885	27	1,008	.....	.....	.....
1886	28	1,084	*1,051,618	*494,313	*479

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

No. 106.—Number of Mills for Grinding and Dressing Grain, with Hands Employed, during the years 1876–86.

Year.	Steam.		Water.		Wind.		Horse.		Total.		Number of pairs of Stones in operation.	Number of Hands Employed.			Quantity of Flour made.	Value of Machinery, Plant, &c. (Approximate.)
	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.		Males.	Females.	Total.		
1876 ...	150	2,481	8	77	2	20	4	12	164	2,590	355	.....	.....	.....	Tons.	£
1877 ...	151	2,529	8	80	1	10	3	4	163	2,623	382	623	.....	623	.....	.....
1878 ...	152	2,577	10	88	1	10	2	2	165	2,677	395	657	7	664	.....	.....
1879 ...	147	2,580	9	84	1	10	4	10	161	2,684	371	544	2	546	.....	.....
1880 ...	140	2,551	7	88	1	10	2	10	150	2,659	347	566	.....	566	.....	.....
1881 ...	148	2,806	9	95	1	10	1	2	159	2,913	472	685	10	695	.....	.....
1882 ...	156	2,929	7	72	1	10	2	14	166	3,025	403	604	9	703	.....	.....
1883 ...	145	2,759	9	88	...	.....	...	.....	154	2,847	390	685	.....	685	.....	.....
1884 ...	153	3,109	8	98	...	.....	...	.....	161	3,207	404	659	3	662	.....	.....
1885 ...	152	3,026	7	66	...	.....	...	.....	159	3,092	370	662	.....	662	.....	.....
1886 ...	+128	2,602	5	48	...	.....	...	.....	133	2,650	300	570	1	571	*113,302	*333,362

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

† Eleven not working.

No. 107.—Saw Mills: Hands Employed, Power and Value of Plant, and Quantity of Timber Sawn, &c., during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Power of Plant.	Value of Plant.	Quantity of Timber Sawn, &c.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
1877	215	1,693	1	1,694	Horse-power.	£	Sq. ft.—1 in. thick.
1878	228	2,077	.....	2,077	.....	.....	.....
1879	232	2,072	.....	2,072	.....	.....	.....
1880	243	2,438	20	2,458	.....	.....	.....
1881	280	2,379	3	2,382	.....	.....	.....
1882	334	3,013	.....	3,013	.....	.....	.....
1883	370	3,318	.....	3,318	.....	.....	.....
1884	376	3,477	.....	3,477	.....	.....	.....
1885	415	3,775	8	3,783	.....	.....	.....
1886	323	3,272	12	3,284	*5,177	*457,362	*110,000,000

* Particulars not ascertained previous to 1886.

No. 108.—Soap and Candle Factories: Hands Employed and Quantities Manufactured during the years 1876–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Quantities Manufactured.		Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Plant.
			Soap.	Candles.		
1876...	...	33	*	cwt. 80,895	lb. 1,546,832	£.....
1877...	...	36	173	92,958	4,133,808	.....
1878...	...	34	180	77,655	3,951,696	.....
1879...	...	34	169	64,524	1,198,736	.....
1880...	...	38	203	114,118	923,776	.....
1881...	...	38	232	106,962	1,165,808	.....
1882...	...	40	263	112,513	3,066,224	.....
1883...	...	38	220	121,794	2,807,728	.....
1884...	...	34	204	131,244	2,759,680	.....
1885...	...	40	223	138,849	1,683,360	.....
1886...	...	48	337	155,430	2,199,282	†89,745
						†331

* Not ascertained.

† Particulars not ascertained previous to 1886.

SUGAR REFINERIES.

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No. 109.—Sugar Mills: Hands, &c., Employed, Quantity of Sugar and Molasses Manufactured during the years 1876–86.

Year.	Number of Mills.		Horse-power.		Quantity of Sugar Manufactured.	Quantity of Molasses Manufactured.	Hands Employed.	Approximate Value of Plant.
	Worked by Steam.	Worked by Cattle.	Steam.	Cattle.				
1876	...	19	31	302	136	93,960	273,480	.....
1877	...	24	26	503	108	150,744	345,543	†1,065
1878	...	36	23	627	119	163,203	532,825	1,158
1879	...	44	21	637	185	153,833	440,506	1,432
1880	...	50	15	1,601	76	146,003	269,092	2,183
1881	...	59	17	1,432	63	159,048	354,402	1,665
1882	...	70	16	978	49	270,000	560,000	1,039
1883	...	79	14	2,651	44	280,000	580,000	1,285
1884	...	86	12	2,855	50	230,000	450,000	2,190
1885	...	83	19	2,598	32	369,280	635,000	2,634
1886	...	57	7	2,531	21	275,000	507,000	2,259

* Information not obtained prior to 1886.

† Includes hands employed for only portion of the year.

No. 110.—Sugar Refineries: Number of Works, Hands Employed, and Quantities Produced during the years 1877–86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.		Number of Hands Employed.	Quantity of Sugar Melted.	Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Plant.
	Establishments.	Hands Employed.				
1877	2	165	259,650	.....
1878	2	153	324,480	.....
1879	3	181	388,480	.....
1880	2	166	414,400	.....
1881	3	222	514,400	.....
1882	2	235	470,000	.....
1883	2	214	468,000	.....
1884	3	172	370,000	.....
1885	4	224	384,000	.....
1886	2	214	*160,000	*156

* Information not obtained previous to 1886.

WOOLLEN MILLS.

No. 111.—Tobacco Factories: Hands Employed, Quantity of Material Used and Manufactured, &c., during the years 1885 and 1886.

Year.	No. of Tobacco Factories,	No. of Cigar and Cigarette Factories.	Hands Employed.		Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Machinery.	Tobacco Leaf Used.		Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes, Manufactured.		
			Males.	Females			Colonial Leaf.	Imported Leaf.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
1885	16	9	411	257	£ 62,980	120	lb. 1,825,854	lb. 672,485	Tobacco...	2,133,168	£ 319,975
									Cigars ...	9,402	5,641
									Cigarettes	6,901	3,105
1886	17	9	559	144	£ 64,550	120	lb. 1,853,407	lb. 561,514	Tobacco...	2,044,240	£ 306,636
									Cigars ...	7,125	4,275
									Cigarettes	5,340	2,403

No. 112.—Woollen Mills: Hands Employed and Quantity of Woollen Cloth Manufactured during each year—1877-86.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands Employed.			Quantity of Woollen Cloth Manufactured.	Value of Plant.	Horse-power of Plant.				
		Males.	Females.	Total.							
1877	8	156	51	207	421,452	yds.	£ .....	.....
1878	9	145	53	198	480,037	.....	.....	.....
1879	9	157	119	276	415,400	.....	.....	.....
1880	8	114	100	214	353,100	.....	.....	.....
1881	5	178	157	335	358,000	.....	.....	.....
1882	8	266	119	385	319,225	.....	.....	.....
1883	9	260	112	372	352,000	.....	.....	.....
1884	7	175	137	312	305,000	.....	.....	.....
1885	6	134	189	323	337,750	.....	.....	.....
1886	*8	104	78	182	324,788	†40,500	†238	.....

* Two mills not worked.

† Information not obtained prior to 1886.

PART V.—MONETARY AND FINANCIAL.

No. 113.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund from Taxation, Land Revenue, and Services, during each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Taxation.	Land Revenue.	Services.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.
	£	£	£	£	£
1871	1,063,204	497,978	561,679	116,039
1872	1,200,203	849,453	659,770	111,885
1873	1,364,806	1,137,914	728,875	99,319
1874	1,200,489	1,426,166	770,895	116,764
1875	1,122,002	2,020,629	838,497	125,175
1876	1,161,406	2,773,003	965,327	137,925
1877	1,233,132	3,236,277	1,119,532	162,937
1878	1,309,718	2,325,711	1,183,582	172,908
1879	1,272,721	1,632,024	1,328,302	248,618
1880	1,417,294	1,646,435	1,594,082	254,179
1881	1,770,849	2,820,988	1,945,076	177,414
1882	1,903,412	2,914,394	2,363,085	237,645
1883	1,891,708	1,656,069	2,666,731	255,833
1884	2,152,854	1,753,345	2,942,643	268,750
1885	2,252,651	1,876,452	3,168,463	289,802
1886	2,611,835	1,643,955	3,089,235	249,276
					7,594,300

No. 114.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund from various sources, per head, during each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Taxation.	Land Revenue.	Services.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1871	2 1 10	0 19 7	1 2 1	0 4 7
1872	2 5 7	1 11 11	1 5 1	0 4 2
1873	2 10 2	2 1 9	1 6 9	0 3 8
1874	2 2 6	2 10 6	1 7 4	0 4 2
1875	1 18 5	3 9 2	1 9 4	0 4 3
1876	1 18 5	4 11 9	1 11 11	0 4 7
1877	1 19 3	5 2 11	1 15 7	0 5 2
1878	1 19 10	3 10 8	1 16 0	0 5 3
1879	1 16 10	2 7 3	1 18 6	0 7 2
1880	1 19 1	2 5 4	2 3 11	0 7 1
1881	2 6 7	3 14 2	2 11 2	0 4 8
1882	2 7 11	3 13 4	2 19 5	0 6 0
1883	2 5 4	1 19 8	3 3 11	0 6 2
1884	2 8 10	1 19 10	3 6 10	0 6 1
1885	2 8 4	2 0 6	3 8 0	0 6 2
1886	2 13 4	1 13 7	3 3 0	0 5 1
					7 15 0

No. 115.—Receipts on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund during each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Taxation.				Land Revenue.		Services.			Miscellaneous.			Total Revenue.
	Customs.*	Excise.	Stamps.	Licenses.	Sales.	Occupation.	Railways.	Post and Telegraph.	Miscellaneous Services.	Rents (land not included).	Fines and Forfeitures	Unclassified.	
1871	£ 881,247	£ 28,546	£ 77,500	£ 75,911	£ 262,531	£ 235,447	£ 361,426	£ 118,719	£ 81,534	£ 29,258	£ 6,000	£ 80,781	£ 2,238,900
1872	£ 1,002,443	£ 23,849	£ 94,298	£ 79,613	£ 436,483	£ 403,970	£ 421,888	£ 148,953	£ 88,929	£ 35,062	£ 5,751	£ 70,772	£ 2,812,011
1873	£ 1,150,867	£ 36,593	£ 94,629	£ 82,717	£ 845,410	£ 292,504	£ 483,575	£ 158,497	£ 86,803	£ 31,192	£ 7,182	£ 60,945	£ 3,330,913
1874	£ 963,062	£ 44,684	£ 100,871	£ 85,872	£ 1,163,572	£ 262,594	£ 532,852	£ 149,709	£ 88,334	£ 33,513	£ 7,437	£ 75,814	£ 3,514,314
1875	£ 988,628	£ 39,840	£ 4,725	£ 88,809	£ 1,760,570	£ 260,059	£ 598,664	£ 164,008	£ 95,825	£ 33,790	£ 8,173	£ 83,212	£ 4,126,303
1876	£ 1,021,240	£ 45,835	£ 455	£ 93,876	£ 2,513,404	£ 259,599	£ 678,392	£ 190,882	£ 96,053	£ 31,070	£ 8,635	£ 98,220	£ 5,037,661
1877	£ 1,082,191	£ 48,035	£ 1,658	£ 101,248	£ 2,967,857	£ 268,420	£ 799,947	£ 224,449	£ 95,136	£ 24,069	£ 8,988	£ 129,880	£ 5,751,878
1878	£ 1,155,636	£ 44,220	£ 10	£ 109,852	£ 2,076,004	£ 249,700	£ 860,285	£ 226,405	£ 96,892	£ 6,097	£ 9,940	£ 156,878	£ 4,991,919
1879	£ 1,114,951	£ 44,070	£ 1,840	£ 111,860	£ 1,386,687	£ 245,337	£ 976,898	£ 259,170	£ 92,234	£ 10,869	£ 10,092	£ 227,657	£ 4,481,665
1880	£ 1,188,930	£ 43,864	£ 72,303	£ 112,197	£ 1,382,026	£ 264,409	£ 1,189,564	£ 286,134	£ 118,384	£ 37,337	£ 12,371	£ 204,471	£ 4,911,990
1881	£ 1,393,676	£ 68,705	£ 192,503	£ 115,965	£ 2,483,338	£ 337,650	£ 1,459,684	£ 330,414	£ 154,978	£ 53,785	£ 14,416	£ 109,213	£ 6,714,327
1882	£ 1,480,046	£ 78,297	£ 228,138	£ 116,931	£ 2,455,041	£ 439,353	£ 1,828,094	£ 358,525	£ 176,466	£ 55,476	£ 17,072	£ 165,097	£ 7,418,536
1883	£ 1,546,857	£ 12,193	£ 214,975	£ 117,683	£ 1,269,480	£ 386,600	£ 2,081,128	£ 403,794	£ 181,809	£ 45,782	£ 19,798	£ 190,242	£ 6,470,341
1884	£ 1,726,811	£ 79,967	£ 226,048	£ 120,028	£ 1,363,483	£ 389,862	£ 2,302,013	£ 442,964	£ 197,666	£ 53,185	£ 21,344	£ 194,221	£ 7,117,592
1885	£ 1,759,955	£ 116,497	£ 253,504	£ 122,695	£ 1,314,552	£ 562,096	£ 2,492,690	£ 472,564	£ 203,209	£ 51,258	£ 22,007	£ 216,341	£ 7,587,368
1886	£ 2,068,571	£ 109,833	£ 307,993	£ 125,438	£ 1,206,438	£ 437,516	£ 2,389,138	£ 486,218	£ 213,879	£ 50,505	£ 20,171	£ 178,599	£ 7,594,301

* For details of Customs Duties see Part III, No. 94.

PUBLIC EXPENDITURE.

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No. 116.—Public Expenditure, exclusive of Expenditure from Loans, during each year from 1877 to 1886.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Post and Telegraphs.	Other Public Works.	Interest on Debt and Extinction of Loan.	Immigra- tion.	Public Instruction.	Other Services.	Total Expenditure.
1877 ...	£ 453,598	£ 312,226	£ 806,325	£ 591,744	£ 69,332	£ 277,666	£ 1,990,319	£ 4,501,210
1878 ...	£ 698,446	£ 352,157	£ 1,058,762	£ 587,552	£ 95,122	£ 383,711	£ 1,902,631	£ 5,078,381
1879 ...	£ 809,245	£ 383,391	£ 1,314,819	£ 584,339	£ 82,123	£ 387,786	£ 2,183,806	£ 5,745,509
1880 ...	£ 838,559	£ 396,301	£ 1,224,521	£ 715,994	£ 43,522	£ 385,567	£ 1,898,296	£ 5,502,760
1881 ...	£ 786,269	£ 421,594	£ 1,139,671	£ 719,752	£ 45,966	£ 552,363	£ 2,123,327	£ 5,788,942
1882 ...	£ 1,031,720	£ 446,658	£ 1,132,041	£ 969,198	£ 46,301	£ 665,901	£ 2,063,791	£ 6,355,610
1883 ...	£ 1,439,327	£ 504,055	£ 1,262,806	£ 927,905	£ 112,319	£ 879,120	£ 2,665,556	£ 7,791,088
1884 ...	£ 1,585,603	£ 542,182	£ 1,494,983	£ 1,047,322	£ 120,038	£ 817,767	£ 2,806,465	£ 8,414,360
1885 ...	£ 1,729,894	£ 570,999	£ 1,323,991	£ 1,300,184	£ 52,050	£ 751,335	£ 2,838,035	£ 8,566,488
1886 ...	£ 1,710,495	£ 610,651	£ 1,248,877	£ 1,579,689	£ 35,397	£ 741,121	£ 3,152,639	£ 9,078,869

No. 117.—Public Expenditure per head, exclusive of Expenditure from Loans, during each year from 1877 to 1886.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Post and Telegraphs.	Other Public Works.	Interest on Debt, &c.	Immigra- tion.	Public Instruction.	Other Services.	Total Expendi- ture.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1877 ...	0 14 5	0 9 11	1 5 8	0 18 10	0 2 2	0 8 10	3 3 3	7 3 1
1878 ...	1 1 3	0 10 8	1 12 2	0 17 10	0 2 11	0 11 8	2 17 10	7 14 4
1879 ...	1 3 5	0 11 1	1 18 1	0 16 11	0 2 4	0 11 2	3 3 2	8 6 2
1880 ...	1 3 1	0 10 11	1 13 9	0 19 9	0 1 2	0 10 7	2 12 4	7 11 7
1881 ...	1 0 8	0 11 1	1 10 0	0 18 11	0 1 3	0 14 6	2 15 10	7 12 3
1882 ...	1 5 11	0 11 3	1 8 6	1 4 5	0 1 2	0 16 9	2 11 11	7 19 11
1883 ...	1 14 6	0 12 1	1 10 3	1 2 3	0 2 8	1 1 1	3 3 11	9 6 9
1884 ...	1 16 0	0 12 4	1 13 11	1 3 9	0 2 9	0 18 7	3 3 9	9 11 1
1885 ...	1 17 2	0 12 3	1 8 5	1 7 11	0 1 1	0 16 2	3 1 0	9 4 0
1886 ...	1 14 11	0 12 5	1 5 6	1 12 3	0 0 9	0 15 1	3 4 4	9 5 3

No. 118.—Expenditure from Loans and Interest Paid from 1877 to 1886, with Total Sum authorized to be raised, and Public Debt at the close of each year.

Year.	Total Expenditure from Loans at the close of each Year.		Expenditure from Loans during each Year.		Expenditure on account of Interest during the Year.		† Total Loans Authorized.	Public Debt at close of each Year.	
	* Amount	Per Head Total Population.	Amount.	Per Head Mean Population.	Amount.	Per Head Mean Population.		Amount.	Per Head Total Population.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£ s. d.
1877	14,349,506	22 5 10	995,454	1 11 8	517,359	0 16 5	15,734,396	11,724,419	18 4 3
1878	15,165,823	22 11 5	816,317	1 4 10	517,377	0 15 9	15,697,996	11,688,119	17 7 11
1879	16,437,528	23 3 4	1,271,705	1 16 10	516,249	0 14 11	23,022,864	14,937,419	21 1 1
1880	18,106,147	24 8 1	1,668,619	2 6 0	647,294	0 17 10	24,251,364	14,903,919	20 1 9
1881	20,503,515	26 6 7	2,397,368	3 3 1	647,642	0 17 0	33,024,764	16,924,019	21 14 8
1882	23,336,274	28 15 7	2,832,759	3 11 3	727,988	0 18 4	32,821,964	18,721,219	23 1 9
1883	26,601,985	31 0 3	3,265,711	3 18 3	798,620	0 19 2	34,728,204	24,632,459	28 14 4
1884	30,276,692	33 9 10	3,674,707	4 3 5	977,899	1 2 2	48,375,507	30,101,959	33 6 0
1885	34,172,837	35 13 6	3,896,145	4 3 8	1,230,441	1 6 5	48,337,807	35,564,259	37 2 6
1886	37,939,193	37 17 3	3,766,356	3 16 10	1,519,436	1 11 0	51,423,190	41,034,249	40 19 1

* When the figures in this column exceed the amount of loans raised, advances have been made to Loan Funds from Consolidated Revenue and other Funds.
 † Total authorized, less amounts paid off.

No. 119.—Expenditure for Public Works and other Services, provided for by Loans Acts, from commencement of Loans' Account to 31st December, 1886.

			£ s. d.
Railways	...	...	28,541,582 6 7
Telegraphs	...	...	663,295 2 6
Immigration	...	...	569,930 0 0
Sewerage and Water Supply, Sydney	...	...	400,000 0 0
Compensation to Municipal Council of Sydney for land resumed under the Water Supply Act, 17 Vic. No. 35	...	...	43,261 14 6
New Water Supply for Sydney	...	...	1,894,193 18 9
New Water Supply for Country Towns	...	...	251,150 5 5
New Sewerage Scheme for Sydney, including resumption of land	...	...	460,682 0 9
Sewerage, Shea's Creek to Webb's Grant	...	...	100,000 0 0
Public Works, Queensland, when it formed part of N.S. Wales	...	...	49,855 8 6
Harbours and Rivers Navigation Improvements	...	...	1,577,259 9 0
Public Works and Buildings	...	...	1,502,453 11 5
Roads and Bridges	...	...	550,298 19 3
Repayments by Loans	...	...	1,335,230 0 0
Total	...	...	£ 37,939,192 16 8

No. 120.—Estimated Value of Imports and Exports of the Colony and Amount of Public Debt for each year from 1869 to 1886.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Public Debt at the close of each year.
				£
1869	8,392,753	9,933,442	18,526,195	9,546,030
1870	7,757,281	7,990,038	15,747,319	9,681,130
1871	9,609,508	11,245,032	20,854,540	10,614,330
1872	9,208,496	10,447,049	19,655,545	10,773,230
1873	10,887,511	12,545,905	23,433,416	10,842,415
1874	11,293,739	12,345,603	23,639,342	10,516,371
1875	13,490,200	13,671,580	27,161,780	11,470,637
1876	13,672,776	13,003,941	26,676,717	11,759,519
1877	14,852,778	13,457,900	28,310,678	11,724,419
1878	15,104,645	13,134,405	28,239,050	11,688,119
1879	14,503,826	13,131,931	27,635,757	14,937,419
1880	14,176,063	15,682,802	29,858,865	14,903,919
1881	17,587,012	16,307,805	33,894,817	16,924,019
1882	21,467,899	17,677,355	39,145,254	18,721,219
1883	21,522,841	20,262,273	41,785,114	24,632,459
1884	23,160,916	18,577,290	41,738,206	30,101,959
1885	23,737,461	16,750,107	40,487,568	35,564,259
1886	20,973,548	15,556,213	36,529,761	41,034,249

No. 121.—Capital and Profits of Banks operating in the Colony, 1886.

Banks.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of last Dividend.	Amount of Dividend.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring Dividend.
	£	% cent.	£	£ s. d.
New South Wales ...	1,215,080	17½	175,000	740,800 0 0
Commercial ...	600,000	25	150,000	730,135 3 10
Australasia ...	1,600,000	15	240,000	790,000 0 0
Union of Australia ...	1,500,000	14	225,000	1,100,770 19 6
Australian Joint Stock ...	500,000	12½	62,500	276,388 17 8
London Chartered of Australia ...	1,000,000	6	60,000	158,922 16 0
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered ...	720,000	10	72,000	220,000 0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia ...	800,000	12½	100,000	400,698 12 5
City ...	240,000	12½	30,000	128,264 6 7
Mercantile Bank of Sydney ...	300,000	9	27,000	169,522 0 8
Federal Bank of Australia ...	400,000	8	32,000	62,068 17 4
Queensland National Bank ...	652,300	15	97,845	323,156 4 7
Bank of New Zealand ...	1,000,000	12½	150,000	698,640 17 5
National Bank of Australasia ...	976,537	15	120,000	652,872 18 8
Totals ...	11,503,917	.....	1,541,345	6,452,241 14 8

No. 122.—Assets of Banks trading in New South Wales, average of each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Coin.	Bullion.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted and all other debts due to the Banks.	Landed Property.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1871	1,867,278	184,553	34,364	1,299,636	7,593,538	301,157	11,280,526
1872	2,859,325	126,201	35,875	1,772,132	7,993,223	307,431	13,094,188
1873	1,972,092	76,483	34,069	2,767,554	9,116,831	296,545	14,263,574
1874	2,322,269	192,254	42,247	3,331,488	10,074,712	313,986	16,276,956
1875	2,476,456	112,319	51,461	3,581,149	11,770,185	326,741	18,318,311
1876	2,828,503	87,063	63,247	3,854,768	12,801,716	347,291	19,982,588
1877	2,586,053	84,415	62,324	3,158,520	15,354,507	385,875	21,631,694
1878	2,262,526	86,194	64,532	3,252,519	16,762,111	425,478	22,853,362
1879	2,488,175	83,824	50,614	3,527,303	17,098,052	486,869	23,734,837
1880	3,373,618	73,651	55,453	3,712,664	16,661,815	521,612	24,398,813
1881	3,594,914	80,068	73,285	3,110,110	19,038,386	585,224	26,481,987
1882	3,022,159	74,308	96,462	3,251,905	23,517,046	662,851	30,624,731
1883	2,798,536	80,018	113,677	2,944,965	25,894,669	748,140	32,580,005
1884	3,559,859	61,223	117,983	3,225,096	27,479,142	818,043	35,261,346
1885	4,171,043	62,066	131,448	1,936,042	30,556,628	958,349	37,815,576
1886	3,958,238	66,243	125,073	2,020,946	32,527,431	1,107,377	39,805,307

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No. 123.—Liabilities of Banks trading in New South Wales, average of each year from 1871 to 1886.

Year.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits not bearing Interest.	Deposits bearing Interest.	Total Deposits.	Total Liabilities.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1871 ...	694,344	42,816	171,896	*	*	6,662,856	7,571,912
1872 ...	789,544	42,916	191,325	*	*	8,653,481	9,672,267
1873 ...	1,005,639	34,289	191,794	*	*	11,369,184	12,600,906
1874 ...	920,620	32,067	243,535	*	*	9,760,661	10,956,813
1875 ...	1,080,088	34,811	251,727	*	*	13,132,772	14,499,398
1876 ...	1,093,862	33,712	205,976	5,146,536	9,563,608	14,710,144	16,043,694
1877 ...	1,129,279	37,618	252,172	5,061,231	10,984,264	16,045,495	17,464,564
1878 ...	1,167,519	38,621	228,804	4,933,643	11,678,843	16,612,486	18,047,430
1879 ...	1,123,123	41,703	152,422	4,898,724	12,352,454	17,251,178	18,568,426
1880 ...	1,173,663	45,229	222,686	5,683,870	12,209,781	17,893,651	19,335,229
1881 ...	1,390,376	52,687	393,848	7,719,236	11,869,979	19,589,215	21,426,126
1882 ...	1,614,191	57,487	639,192	8,310,054	13,772,826	22,082,880	24,393,750
1883 ...	1,677,146	64,596	625,124	7,158,975	16,302,407	23,461,382	25,828,248
1884 ...	1,644,469	60,443	583,020	7,453,914	17,738,445	25,192,359	27,480,291
1885 ...	1,714,095	55,300	868,543	8,819,979	18,387,705	27,207,684	29,845,622
1886 ...	1,621,090	60,827	1,366,202	8,355,255	18,974,984	27,330,239	30,378,358

The figures in the preceding tables are the yearly averages, and differ slightly from the averages of the last quarter given in tables Nos. 127, 128.

* Not separately shown for these years.

No. 124.—Government (Post Office) Savings Banks: Amount of Deposits, Accounts Opened, &c., in each year—1877–86.

Year.	Number of Accounts opened during year.	Number of Accounts closed during year.	Number of Accounts remaining open at close of year.	Total Deposits (including Interest).			Total Withdrawals.			Balance at credit of Depositors at close of year.
				Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.			
				£	s. d.		£	s. d.		£ s. d.
1877	8,268	5,462	16,076	47,948	344,687 4 8	17,871	278,532 5 7	467,452 10 10		
1878	9,853	6,961	18,957	59,932	377,704 8 4	22,596	365,132 1 9	480,024 17 5		
1879	10,780	8,170	21,567	67,444	411,316 4 0	27,612	379,983 18 6	511,357 2 11		
1880	12,229	9,194	24,602	76,402	476,869 13 11	30,342	401,730 15 10	586,496 3 0		
1881	17,516	10,266	31,852	98,270	860,702 3 7	35,159	475,696 19 9	971,501 6 10		
1882	20,968	13,967	38,853	121,868	930,263 10 11	48,443	743,310 14 5	1,158,454 3 9		
1883	25,009	18,141	45,721	147,627	974,003 8 8	59,475	948,938 8 3	1,183,519 3 9		
1884	27,449	21,771	51,399	156,578	1,076,899 5 11	71,532	969,487 3 0	1,290,931 6 8		
1885	29,135	22,986	57,538	170,750	1,201,776 7 4	75,600	1,020,813 12 0	1,471,894 1 11		
1886	27,874	25,846	59,566	167,161	1,123,966 10 11	87,169	1,172,555 5 4	1,423,305 7 6		

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No. 125.—Number of Depositors and the Amount of Deposits in the Savings
of Deposits, for

Year.	£20 and under.			Between £20 and £50.			Between £50 and £100.			Between				
	No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.						
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	No.		
1876	...	14,695	81,382	6	9	5,942	192,593	14	8	4,946	355,447	13	2	5,170
1877	...	15,337	83,390	19	9	6,062	205,938	6	2	5,229	373,299	16	5	5,329
1878	...	15,979	90,456	4	1	6,251	200,928	8	0	5,130	366,513	15	9	5,042
1879	...	17,096	95,640	18	1	6,490	209,961	7	7	5,368	380,356	8	0	5,492
1880	...	18,357	101,273	5	5	6,888	225,211	6	0	5,776	413,858	6	8	5,641
1881	...	19,684	108,993	4	2	7,291	234,263	3	8	6,223	447,891	14	11	7,007
1882	...	20,502	116,582	17	9	7,524	254,164	2	3	6,521	478,224	0	0	7,392
1883	...	22,873	128,079	15	3	8,627	278,188	10	11	6,734	478,345	19	0	6,859
1884	...	23,935	130,940	2	6	8,779	282,225	8	7	7,109	509,378	6	7	6,934
1885	...	25,426	139,118	15	5	9,208	297,400	19	5	7,558	542,330	12	10	7,389
1886	...	27,260	145,858	6	8	9,315	304,671	2	2	7,673	535,287	19	11	7,718

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Bank of New South Wales, distinguishing the Number and the Amount
the years 1876-86.

£100 and £200.		Between £200 and £300.		£300 and upwards.		Total.		Year.
Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.		
£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		
570,672 6 5	151	35,052 4 10	99	68,664 6 6	31,003	1,303,812 12 4	1876	
576,924 10 7	151	35,368 19 1	112	80,335 11 1	32,220	1,355,258 3 1	1877	
560,231 18 8	122	28,026 16 10	120	86,859 13 0	32,644	1,333,016 16 4	1878	
609,354 8 8	131	30,690 6 1	112	84,901 10 6	34,689	1,410,904 19 9	1879	
622,237 3 2	144	32,599 18 11	123	94,180 1 8	36,929	1,489,360 1 10	1880	
771,451 8 0	181	42,457 8 6	146	122,145 1 10	40,532	1,727,202 1 1	1881	
825,580 5 4	183	43,702 14 3	152	138,387 9 7	42,274	1,856,641 9 2	1882	
762,019 13 6	194	47,098 12 3	155	128,586 4 4	45,442	1,822,318 15 3	1883	
774,798 16 2	184	42,855 17 0	181	147,150 10 1	47,122	1,887,349 0 11	1884	
824,875 11 4	211	48,929 1 1	185	164,001 7 1	49,977	2,016,656 7 2	1885	
872,174 8 2	220	50,132 11 5	192	173,374 0 3	52,378	2,081,498 8 7	1886	

ACCUMULATION OF COIN.

No. 126.—Estimate of the Coin in Circulation and in the

Year.	In Private Hands.				In the		
	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	
1855	570,315	.....	.....
1856	1,559,815	.....	.....
1857	1,925,661	.....	.....
1858	1,381,865	.....	.....
1859	1,442,449	.....	.....
1860	1,456,052	.....	.....
1861	1,617,997	.....	.....
1862	1,723,480	.....	.....
1863	1,820,858	.....	.....
1864	1,881,644	.....	.....
1865	1,781,073	.....	.....
1866	1,939,057	.....	.....
1867	1,843,863	.....	.....
1868	1,890,280	.....	.....
1869	1,902,506	.....	.....
1870	1,960,344	.....	.....
1871	2,004,036	.....	.....
1872	2,075,546	.....	.....
1873	2,191,794	.....	.....
1874	2,279,316	.....	.....
1875	2,179,326	.....	.....
1876	2,191,945	.....	.....
1877	1,394,750	.....	.....
1878	...	2,179,134	171,730	15,967	2,366,831	2,125,185	100,206
1879	...	2,226,371	174,373	16,633	2,417,377	2,967,427	132,860
1880	...	2,391,118	197,657	16,595	2,605,370	3,499,257	136,220
1881	...	2,875,320	211,131	17,946	3,104,397	2,748,350	136,501
1882	...	2,877,548	231,838	19,029	3,128,415	2,538,615	132,712
1883	...	2,717,214	251,217	20,706	2,989,137	2,710,230	150,658
1884	...	2,707,510	259,658	21,576	2,988,744	3,689,539	173,017
1885	...	2,923,743	302,721	23,618	3,250,082	3,882,103	185,642
1886	...	3,027,220	309,857	24,827	3,361,904	4,230,792	206,488

ACCUMULATION OF COIN.

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Banks on 31st December during each year from 1855 to 1886.

Banks.		Total.				Year.
Bronze.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.	Total.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	
.....	1,549,398	1,916,995	202,718	.....	2,119,713	1855
.....	1,761,754	3,118,851	202,718	.....	3,321,569	1856
.....	1,248,482	2,972,152	201,991	.....	3,174,143	1857
.....	1,721,789	2,903,901	199,753	.....	3,103,654	1858
.....	1,380,543	2,636,293	186,699	.....	2,822,992	1859
.....	1,490,561	2,765,623	180,990	.....	2,946,613	1860
.....	1,329,722	2,766,251	181,088	380	2,947,719	1861
.....	1,239,636	2,776,587	186,350	179	2,963,116	1862
.....	962,426	2,596,695	186,059	530	2,783,284	1863
.....	1,144,117	2,841,064	183,579	1,118	3,025,761	1864
.....	1,228,450	2,829,690	178,820	1,013	3,009,523	1865
.....	1,259,150	3,007,353	189,841	1,013	3,198,207	1866
.....	1,708,536	3,367,410	183,426	1,563	3,552,399	1867
.....	2,224,269	3,925,310	178,561	10,678	4,114,549	1868
.....	1,305,790	3,024,698	172,969	10,629	3,208,296	1869
.....	1,352,842	3,123,901	178,922	10,363	3,313,186	1870
.....	2,413,144	4,218,288	188,273	10,619	4,417,180	1871
.....	2,693,154	4,557,926	200,378	10,396	4,768,700	1872
.....	1,970,075	3,961,142	189,530	11,197	4,161,869	1873
.....	2,283,353	4,326,262	225,340	11,067	4,562,669	1874
.....	2,525,698	4,480,031	209,471	15,522	4,705,024	1875
.....	2,732,104	4,658,160	250,533	15,356	4,924,049	1876
.....	2,435,126	4,527,870	285,310	16,696	4,829,876	1877
1,724	2,227,115	4,304,319	271,936	17,691	4,593,946	1878
2,058	3,102,345	5,193,798	307,233	18,691	5,519,722	1879
2,091	3,637,568	5,890,375	333,877	18,686	6,242,938	1880
1,039	2,885,890	5,623,670	347,632	18,985	5,990,287	1881
1,472	2,672,799	5,416,163	364,550	20,501	5,801,214	1882
1,092	2,861,980	5,427,444	401,875	21,798	5,851,117	1883
1,317	3,863,873	6,397,049	432,675	22,893	6,852,617	1884
2,095	4,069,840	6,805,846	488,363	25,713	7,319,922	1885
2,462	4,439,742	7,258,012	516,345	27,289	7,801,646	1886

No. 127.—Amount of Money on Deposit in Banks of the Colony during last quarter of each year, 1871-86, with rate per head.

Year.	Banks.	Savings Banks.	Post Office Banks.	Total.	Amount per head of Population.
1871	... 7,043,886	931,688	14,227	7,989,801	£ 15 s. 8 d. 7
1872	... 9,273,087	1,028,738	80,688	10,382,513	19 7 11
1873	... 10,279,324	1,164,561	206,070	11,649,955	21 0 8
1874	... 11,884,958	1,275,902	303,113	13,463,973	23 8 4
1875	... 13,650,892	1,295,797	354,075	15,300,764	25 14 11
1876	... 14,859,505	1,303,813	400,120	16,563,438	26 19 4
1877	... 16,325,043	1,355,258	467,453	18,147,754	28 3 10
1878	... 16,722,453	1,333,017	480,025	18,535,495	28 11 8
1879	... 17,862,840	1,410,905	511,357	19,784,102	28 1 8
1880	... 17,883,024	1,489,360	586,496	19,958,880	26 18 0
1881	... 20,308,017	1,427,202	971,501	22,706,720	29 3 2
1882	... 22,544,549	1,856,641	1,158,454	25,559,644	31 10 6
1883	... 23,739,134	1,822,319	1,183,519	26,744,972	31 3 7
1884	... 26,250,420	1,887,349	1,290,931	29,428,700	32 11 1
1885	... 26,709,386	2,016,656	1,471,894	30,197,936	31 10 6
1886	... 28,428,253	2,081,498	1,423,305	31,933,056	31 17 5

No. 128.—Coin in Circulation and in Banks, with Average per head of Population, at the close of each year from 1870 to 1886.

Year.	Coin in Banks.	Average.	Coin in Private Hands.	Average.	Total in Banks and in Private Hands.	Average.
1870	... £ 1,352,842	2 15 2	£ 1,960,344	4 0 0	3,313,186	£ 6 15 2
1871	... 2,413,144	4 15 0	2,004,036	3 18 10	4,417,180	8 13 10
1872	... 2,693,154	5 2 4	2,075,546	3 18 7	4,768,700	9 0 11
1873	... 1,970,075	3 12 5	2,191,794	4 0 6	4,161,869	7 12 11
1874	... 2,283,353	4 1 0	2,279,316	4 0 10	4,562,669	8 1 10
1875	... 2,525,698	4 6 5	2,179,326	3 14 7	4,705,024	8 1 0
1876	... 2,732,104	4 10 5	2,191,945	3 12 7	4,924,049	8 3 0
1877	... 2,435,126	3 17 5	2,394,750	3 16 2	4,829,876	7 13 7
1878	... 2,227,115	3 1 10	2,366,831	3 12 0	4,593,946	6 13 10
1879	... 3,102,345	4 9 10	2,417,377	3 10 0	5,519,722	7 19 10
1880	... 3,637,568	5 0 3	2,605,370	3 11 9	6,242,938	8 12 0
1881	... 2,885,890	3 16 0	3,104,397	4 1 7	5,990,287	7 17 7
1882	... 2,672,799	3 7 2	3,128,415	3 18 9	5,801,214	7 5 11
1883	... 2,861,980	3 12 7	2,989,137	3 11 7	5,851,117	7 4 2
1884	... 3,863,873	4 7 10	2,988,744	3 7 9	6,852,617	7 15 7
1885	... 4,069,840	4 7 5	3,250,082	3 9 9	7,319,922	7 17 2
1886	... 4,439,742	4 8 7	3,361,904	3 7 1	7,801,646	7 15 8

No. 129.—Royal Mint, Sydney Branch: New Silver and Bronze Coin issued, 1868–86.

Date.	Silver Coin issued.						Bronze Coin issued.			
	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Three-pences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.	
1868 to 1875	£	£	£	£	£	12,620	£ 2,565	£ 15,185	
1876	815	230	1,045	
1877	565	205	770	
1878	560	175	735	
1879	17,000	15,972	12,000	3,681	4,647	53,300	680	230	910
1880	11,300	6,428	11,900	2,219	3,153	35,000	450	95	545
1881	14,600	10,600	12,000	3,600	2,700	43,500	300	410	710
1882	12,100	11,300	13,800	1,300	4,000	42,500	1,475	475	1,950
1883	11,200	9,300	13,000	2,400	3,700	39,600	1,015	360	1,375
1884	15,000	11,800	11,300	4,300	3,800	46,200	1,510	255	1,765
1885	11,100	7,200	12,450	5 550	7,600	43,900	2,040	445	2,485
1886	2,600	200	5,500	1,450	7,650	17,400	870	225	1,095
Total ... £	94,900	72,800	91,950	24,500	37,250	321,400	22,900	5,670	28,570	

No. 130.—Worn Silver Coin withdrawn from Circulation, 1873–86.

Year.	Nominal Amount.			Actual Weight.		Net Loss.	
	Value.	Weight.		Before Melting.	After Melting.	Weight.	Proportional.
1873 to 1876 ...	£ 35,082 9 5	s. d.	oz. 127,572·61	oz. 109,323·95	oz. 109,294·24	oz. 18,278·37	per cent. 14·33
1877 ...	6,415 0 0		23,327·27	20,017·36	20,011·90	3,315·37	14·21
1878 ...	3,977 3 6		14,462·45	12,356·97	12,353·36	2,109·09	14·58
1879 ...	9,324 0 0		33,905·44	29,328·45	29,320·15	4,585·29	13·52
1880 ...	14,250 0 0		51,818·18	45,773·71	45,758·35	6,059·83	11·69
1881 ...	7,700 0 0		28,000·00	24,596·40	24,578·05	3,421·95	12·22
1882 ...	7,840 0 0		28,509·06	25,142·25	25,127·15	3,381·91	11·86
1883 ...	6,577 13 0		23,918·67	21,076·85	21,064·80	2,853·87	11·93
1884 ...	4,085 0 0		14,854·51	12,993·13	12,981·50	1,873·01	12·61
1885 ...	4,530 0 0		16,472·70	14,574·30	14,562·15	1,910·55	11·60
1886 ...	4,042 0 0		14,698·14	12,993·22	12,984·45	1,713·69	11·66
Total ... £	103,823 5 11		377,539·03	328,176·59	328,036·10	49,502·93	13·11

No. 131.—Weight and Value of Gold Received for Coinage: Value of Gold Coin opening of the Mint, on the 14th May, 1855,

Year.	Gold received for Coinage.			Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued.					
				Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.		
	Weight.	Value.		Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.	
1855 }	oz.	£	s. d.	£	£	£	oz.	£	s. d.
1875 }	10,355,855·80	39,965,835	15 6	36,045,500	1,933,500	37,979,000	484,936·140	1,935,081	2 6
1876 ...	431,905·27	1,605,557	19 8	1,613,000	30,000	1,643,000	2,129·789	8,292	17 4
1877 ...	438,385·50	1,608,248	2 8	1,590,000	.....	1,590,000	1,709·643	6,656	18 7
1878 ...	365,173·89	1,308,898	1 5	1,259,000	63,000	1,322,000	1,584·683	6,276	5 8
1879 ...	394,606·76	1,434,871	3 2	1,366,000	47,000	1,413,000	1,139·438	4,588	8 9
1880 ...	406,291·87	1,487,678	12 10	1,459,000	40,000	1,499,000	152·700	648	12 8
1881 ...	465,584·70	1,702,102	7 2	1,360,000	31,000	1,391,000	78,349·931	306,649	8 9
1882 ...	401,559·69	1,477,134	7 9	1,298,000	26,000	1,324,000	36,127·672	149,008	9 11
1883 ...	374,141·20	1,353,665	9 6	1,108,000	110,000	1,218,000	30,895·460	124,610	4 4
1884 ...	475,053·41	1,713,843	19 9	1,595,000	.....	1,595,000	16,680·440	70,591	18 1
1885 ...	422,160·20	1,510,061	10 3	1,486,000	.....	1,486,000	12,048·590	46,978	1 7
1886 ...	475,166·21	1,712,244	8 5	1,667,000	41,000	1,708,000	241·110	973	2 9
Total	15,005,884·50	56,880,141	18 1	51,846,500	2,321,500	54,168,000	665,995·596	2,660,355	10 11

No. 132.—Countries in which Gold, Received

Periods.	New South Wales.		Queensland.		New Zealand.		Victoria.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
1855 }	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1875 }	5,854,449	22,493,389	1,693,969	6,100,405	1,750,261	6,877,753	1,437,453	5,904,855
1876 ...	121,593	459,201	310,247	1,126,315	1,674	4,656	133	226
1878 ...	107,348	382,741	234,723	838,880	16,009	61,439	72	142
1879 ...	106,900	396,353	239,925	848,250	38,146	156,437	65	61
1880 ...	116,670	434,337	224,144	787,063	63,987	260,733	22	20
1881 ...	145,478	549,918	251,476	876,856	57,804	233,891	19	19
1882 ...	129,142	491,240	199,866	698,233	36,888	149,162	91	180
1883 ...	121,777	450,766	196,679	679,794	33,764	138,395	11	11
1884 ...	104,933	386,670	310,996	1,094,702	25,789	106,432	88	211
1885 ...	93,990	340,802	300,108	1,063,808	1,561	4,726	60	239
1886 ...	91,855	330,779	329,357	1,169,128	34,519	139,615	80	110
Total ...	6,994,135	26,716,196	4,291,490	15,283,436	2,060,402	8,133,239	1,438,095	5,906,075

and Gold Bullion issued, and Revenue derived from Mint Charges, &c., from the
to the 31st December, 1886.

Total Value of Gold Coin and Bullion issued.	Revenue.						Year.	
	From Mint Charges.		From Silver.	From other sources.	Total.			
	On New South Wales Gold.	On Foreign Gold.						
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
39,914,081 2 6	233,111 7 9	96,661 16 9	15,743 1 9	40,003 12 1	385,519 18 4	{ 1855		
1,651,292 17 4	3,941 8 10	3,687 10 5	1,179 10 10	1,687 14 1	10,496 4 2	1875	1876	
1,596,656 18 7	3,316 9 11	3,691 11 8	2,612 3 4	1,282 14 9	10,902 19 8		1877	
1,328,276 5 8	2,944 3 9	2,888 18 11	2,012 3 2	1,964 14 2	9,810 0 0		1878	
1,417,588 8 9	2,535 12 1	2,961 14 1	2,202 4 1	1,670 0 8	9,369 10 11		1879	
1,499,648 12 8	2,247 11 3	2,371 10 11	3,936 13 8	1,656 16 0	10,212 11 10		1880	
1,697,649 8 9	2,622 17 4	2,601 4 4	3,631 12 11	1,599 6 10	10,455 1 5		1881	
1,473,008 9 11	2,520 12 0	2,165 6 2	3,000 15 2	1,300 3 8	8,986 17 0		1882	
1,342,610 4 4	2,174 15 3	1,733 2 7	2,472 5 11	628 6 9	7,008 10 6		1883	
1,665,591 18 1	1,961 0 0	2,820 0 6	3,203 5 10	581 7 8	8,565 14 0		1884	
1,532,978 1 7	1,785 15 8	2,661 11 10	2,606 11 5	577 8 0	7,631 6 11		1885	
1,708,973 2 9	1,870 16 11	3,080 6 1	2,000 6 9	945 11 10	7,897 1 7		1886	
56,828,355 10 11	261,032 10 9	127,324 14 3	44,600 14 10	53,897 16 6	486,855 16 4			

for Coinage at the Mint, was produced, 1855–86.

Tasmania.		South Australia.		Other Countries.		Coin.		Total.		Period.
Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	
oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	
5,692	21,983	443	1,596	8,118	29,196	37,376	142,217	10,787,761	41,571,394	{ 1855
...	.....	822	2,807	374	1,327	3,543	13,717	438,385	1,608,248	1876
27	101	465	1,522	2,593	8,845	3,938	15,226	365,174	1,308,898	1877
I	4	1,444	5,118	861	467	7,264	28,181	394,607	1,434,871	1878
109	419	608	2,231	3	9	750	2,866	406,292	1,487,679	1879
...	.....	2,786	10,217	.....	.....	8,021	31,202	465,585	1,702,102	1880
82	326	509	1,830	37	137	34,944	136,027	401,560	1,477,134	1881
72	282	2,189	7,931	.....	.....	19,649	76,487	374,141	1,353,665	1882
131	510	13,619	49,549	80	173	19,419	75,596	475,053	1,713,844	1883
31	126	10,458	38,299	92	340	15,860	61,722	422,160	1,510,062	1884
12	46	8,581	30,704	302	1,142	10,460	40,719	475,166	1,712,244	1885
6,156	23,797	41,924	151,803	12,459	41,637	161,223	623,960	15,005,884	56,880,142	1886

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No. 133.—Estimates of Gold, the Produce

Year.	New South Wales. ^a		New Zealand. ^b		Queensland. ^c		South Weight.
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.
1851 }	8,415,572	31,175,174	7,955,344	30,987,723	1,889,458	6,940,406	24,687
1875 }							
1876 ...	155,166	581,689	318,367	1,268,559	374,776	1,427,929	9,858
1877 ...	122,629	463,130	371,685	1,496,080	353,266	1,307,084	11,811
1878 ...	117,978	423,184	310,486	1,240,079	283,592	1,052,490	10,746
1879 ...	107,640	399,187	284,100	1,134,641	281,552	1,023,237	14,251
1880 ...	116,751	434,641	303,215	1,220,263	228,120	820,643	13,246
1881 ...	145,532	550,111	250,683	996,867	259,782	925,012	16,976
1882 ...	129,233	491,594	230,893	921,664	230,090	829,655	15,668
1883 ...	122,257	452,611	222,899	892,445	193,994	698,138	15,938
1884 ...	105,933	390,229	246,392	988,953	261,824	923,010	21,455
1885 ...	100,667	366,388	222,732	890,056	308,348	1,119,170	18,327
1886 ...	98,446	355,600	227,079*	903,569	341,551	1,232,330	21,115
	9,737,804	36,083,538	10,943,875	42,940,899	5,006,353	18,299,104	194,078

^a "Gold raised, and value."^b New Zealand Statistics. Statistical Summary of the Colony of New Zealand.Queensland. ^dThe amount of South Australian Gold received for coinage at the Sydney and Melbourne Mints. Victoria. * Gold entered for duty for export, 1886.

Exports, the

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of Australasia and New Zealand—1851–86.

Australia. ^d	Tasmania. ^e		Victoria. ^f		Total.		Year.
Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	
£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	{ 1851 1875
87,695	28,802	111,786	45,509,964	182,039,854	63,823,827	251,342,638	
34,135	11,107	44,923	963,760	3,855,040	1,833,034	7,212,275	1876
41,946	5,777	23,289	809,653	3,238,612	1,674,821	6,570,141	1877
36,654	25,249	100,000	775,272	3,101,088	1,523,323	5,953,495	1878
50,429	60,155	230,895	758,947	3,035,788	1,506,645	5,874,177	1879
48,441	52,595	201,297	829,121	3,316,484	1,543,048	6,041,769	1880
61,889	56,693	216,901	858,850	3,435,400	1,588,516	6,186,180	1881
55,743	49,122	187,337	898,536	3,594,144	1,553,542	6,080,137	1882
58,600	46,577	176,442	810,047	3,240,188	1,411,712	5,518,424	1883
75,036	42,340	160,404	778,618	3,114,472	1,456,562	5,652,104	1884
65,443	41,241	155,309	735,218	2,940,872	1,426,533	5,537,238	1885
74,596	31,015	117,250	665,196	2,660,784	1,384,402	5,344,129	1886
690,607	450,673	1,725,833	54,393,182	217,572,726	80,725,965	317,312,707	

produce of New Zealand. of the Colony of Tasmania.

^e Statistics of Queensland. Total value of Gold produced. Statistical View of Queensland. f Victorian Year Book. Exports (seaward), the produce of

No. 134.—Quantity and Value of Gold, the Produce of New South Wales, from the year 1851 to 1886 inclusive.

Years.	Received at the Mint for Coinage.		Exported without passing through the Mint.		Estimated Produce of the Colony.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
1851	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1851	144,120·88	468,336	144,120·88	468,336
1852	818,751·93	2,660,946	818,751·93	2,660,946
1853	548,052·99	1,781,172	548,052·99	1,781,172
1854	237,910·70	773,209	237,910·70	773,209
1855	...	106,983·00	408,656	63,162·73	204,492	170,145·73
1856	...	142,137·36	530,598	41,809·00	135,457	183,946·36
1857	...	126,950·79	487,440	34,092·47	129,272	161,043·26
1858	...	272,825·65	1,050,340	7,732·28	32,525	280,557·93
1859	...	308,183·41	1,178,114	15,800·61	59,548	323,984·02
1860	...	352,222·78	1,341,431	29,391·18	103,727	381,613·96
1861	...	414,861·84	1,608,277	45,017·42	163,578	459,879·26
1862	...	587,895·24	2,262,472	29,014·47	97,911	616,909·71
1863	...	401,713·23	1,545,419	65,685·80	246,115	467,399·05
1864	...	308,670·64	1,181,898	33,283·48	122,837	341,954·12
1865	...	300,277·57	1,153,215	64,263·06	237,588	364,540·63
1866	...	269,239·71	1,005,513	18,294·58	67,733	287,534·29
1867	...	259,556·92	1,005,570	9,850·43	37,888	269,407·35
1868	...	232,488·66	904,422	26,284·75	98,580	258,773·41
1869	...	179,549·24	694,022	72,580·90	273,603	252,130·14
1870	...	143,709·44	552,744	96,692·42	363,665	240,401·86
1871	...	242,596·91	935,041	78,871·79	296,970	321,468·70
1872	...	331,273·19	1,278,127	92,827·04	356,694	424,100·23
1873	...	259,579·77	997,215	101,270·20	392,490	360,849·97
1874	...	233,216·59	895,148	37,493·53	143,696	270,710·12
1875	...	226,985·50	872,162	2,400·05	9,318	229,385·55
1876	...	153,531·48	575,565	1,634·89	6,124	155,166·37
1877	...	121,593·38	459,201	1,035·86	3,929	122,629·24
1878	...	107,347·97	382,741	10,629·91	40,443	117,977·88
1879	...	106,899·88	396,353	740·50	2,834	107,640·38
1880	...	116,669·52	434,337	81·00	304	116,750·52
1881	...	145,478·06	549,918	53·99	193	145,532·05
1882	...	129,142·28	491,240	91·00	354	129,233·28
1883	...	121,777·38	450,766	479·20	1,845	122,256·58
1884	...	104,932·68	386,669	1,000·75	3,560	105,933·43
1885	...	93,990·36	340,802	6,676·80	25,586	100,667·16
1886	...	91,854·72	330,779	6,591·55	24,821	98,446·27
Grand Total	...	6,994,135·17	26,716,196	2,743,670·14	9,367,343	9,737,805·31
						36,083,539

No. 135.—Quantity and Value of Gold received by Escort into the Branch Royal Mint, from the several Gold Districts of the Colony, 1876–86.

Year.	Western District.		Southern District.		Northern District.		General Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
1876 ...	oz. 94,879	£ 357,496	oz. 27,418	£ 104,743	oz. 4,492	£ 16,894	oz. 126,789	£ 479,133
1877 ...	... 71,335	265,136	... 23,007	89,064	... 3,240	12,129	97,582	366,329
1878 ...	... 50,371	182,721	... 19,783	76,250	... 5,339	20,195	75,493	279,166
1879 ...	... 46,375	172,915	... 18,714	71,342	... 5,586	19,761	70,675	264,018
1880 ...	... 44,023	164,155	... 25,416	97,641	... 8,368	29,293	77,807	291,049
1881 ...	... 46,722	174,342	... 51,924	202,872	... 5,799	19,740	104,445	396,954
1882 ...	... 40,563	152,239	... 55,508	218,864	... 5,906	20,138	101,977	391,241
1883 ...	... 34,358	122,611	... 36,013	140,543	... 2,827	9,601	73,198	272,755
1884 ...	... 36,745	132,472	... 29,821	116,789	... 2,911	10,252	69,477	250,513
1885 ...	... 31,768	113,553	... 25,532	99,353	... 583	1,993	57,883	214,899
1886 ...	... 31,039	110,631	... 19,857	77,327	.....	.....	50,896	187,958

No. 136.—Number and Amount of Discharges of Mortgages on Land and Conveyances under Mortgage, 1876–86.

Year.	Discharges of Mortgages on Land.			Conveyances under Mortgage.				
	Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1876 ...	... 1,101	600,834	16	11	110	63,393	14	10
1877 ...	... 1,902	1,123,138	15	0	334	238,094	18	11
1878 ...	... 1,350	896,445	8	9	248	158,784	2	8
1879 ...	... 1,235	868,524	2	10	223	131,509	13	10
1880 ...	... 1,860	715,147	15	0	260	133,739	5	8
1881 ...	... 2,386	1,926,357	7	0	198	92,677	3	4
1882 ...	... 2,051	1,676,223	17	8	151	67,620	5	4
1883 ...	... 1,388	1,433,911	19	8	132	58,749	7	0
1884 ...	... 2,216	1,957,764	14	10	132	126,685	8	9
1885 ...	... 3,473	2,239,074	14	0	122	122,950	19	7
1886 ...	... 2,773	2,515,398	5	0	195	122,478	17	4

No. 137.—Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land Registered in the Colony, 1876–86.

Year.	Lent on Town Lands.			Lent on Suburban Lands.			Lent on Town and Country Lands.			Lent on Country Lands.			Total.									
	No. of Mort-gages.		Amount.	No. of Mort-gages.		Amount.	No. of Mort-gages.		Amount.	No. of Mort-gages.		Amount.	No. of Mort-gages.		Amount.							
			£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.							
1876	971	639,814	14	2	660	310,663	7	11	7	10,609	0	0	488	441,670	19	8	2,126	1,402,848	1	9
1877	518	533,589	11	9	660	304,714	8	2	8	8,418	16	0	572	462,051	15	4	1,758	1,308,774	11	3
1878	1,071	856,315	16	9	777	381,148	15	8	13	8,125	13	0	579	735,890	16	11	2,440	1,981,481	2	4
1879	1,159	920,337	3	8	930	477,041	12	6	12	23,539	18	6	708	1,041,045	8	6	2,809	2,461,964	3	2
1880	1,180	938,316	4	3	1,374	568,643	18	11	9	86,918	0	0	432	2,455,073	14	6	2,995	4,048,951	17	8
1881	1,283	1,364,470	19	10	1,218	676,900	19	1	18	13,981	9	1	1,986	3,213,095	12	1	4,505	5,268,449	0	1
1882	990	1,326,682	16	9	1,405	903,046	19	10	12	14,103	0	0	1,752	2,680,762	13	6	4,159	4,924,595	10	1
1883	1,030	1,541,110	1	10	1,640	983,949	14	8	2	4,146	0	0	1,416	3,330,266	3	6	4,088	5,859,472	0	0
1884	1,677	1,490,139	5	3	1,518	919,340	11	2	68	82,212	9	8	1,390	3,128,728	13	0	4,653	5,620,420	19	1
1885	1,190	1,608,133	9	4	2,500	1,643,886	2	8	21	118,002	15	6	3,907	7,990,085	14	3	7,618	11,360,108	1	9
1886	1,618	3,085,757	2	10	2,089	1,438,276	5	10	31	254,864	14	0	3,195	2,791,312	5	9	6,933	7,570,210	8	5

No. 138.—Applications, with the Amount of Fees, &c., under the Real Property Act, 1876-86.

Year.	No. of Applications.	No. of Properties.	Area.			Value.	Fees.			
			Town and Suburban.	Country.	Total.		Assurance.	Commissioners.	Certificates and other Dealings.	Total.
1876	... ... 241	339	a. r. p. 1,148 1 38 $\frac{1}{4}$	a. r. p. 5,366 0 4	a. r. p. 6,514 2 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	£ 220,166	£ 458 7 2	£ 297 0 0	£ 5,674 4 8	£ 6,429 11 10
1877	... ... 240	342	897 1 14	5,904 2 23	6,801 3 37	210,431	440 7 4	332 15 0	6,603 3 0	7,376 5 4
1878	... ... 203	377	684 1 18	6,840 0 14 $\frac{3}{4}$	7,524 1 32 $\frac{3}{4}$	£ 153,195	322 15 9	514 10 0	7,347 16 0	8,185 1 9
1879	... ... 138	224	482 2 30	18,686 1 4	19,168 3 34	£ 157,146	327 7 9	200 0 0	7,912 11 0	8,439 18 9
1880	... ... 191	307	843 3 17 $\frac{3}{4}$	13,930 3 28 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,774 3 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	£ 205,616	428 8 0	295 0 0	10,120 9 8	10,843 17 8
1881	... ... 298	396	4,395 3 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,119 1 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,515 0 20	701,804	1,462 2 9	535 5 0	13,054 5 0	15,050 12 9
1882	... ... 287	480	2,497 1 9 $\frac{3}{4}$	52,439 3 38 $\frac{3}{4}$	54,937 1 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	837,883	1,746 15 0	538 11 8	14,617 1 8	16,002 8 4
1883	... ... 264	406	1,772 1 19 $\frac{1}{4}$	20,233 2 20 $\frac{1}{2}$	22,005 3 39 $\frac{3}{4}$	803,553	1,661 5 4	495 15 0	14,883 19 8	17,041 0 0
1884	... ... 276	466	1,420 2 17 $\frac{1}{4}$	29,999 3 5 $\frac{3}{4}$	31,420 1 23	607,928	1,266 10 8	540 15 0	16,485 9 1	18,292 14 8
1885	... ... 303	447	2,253 1 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	28,977 0 29 $\frac{3}{4}$	31,230 1 32 $\frac{1}{4}$	£ 1,157,000	2,421 3 9	620 15 0	18,583 19 8	21,625 18 5
1886	... ... 270	362	1,370 2 5 $\frac{1}{4}$	12,694 3 12 $\frac{1}{4}$	14,065 1 17 $\frac{1}{2}$	723,641	1,507 12 3	514 0 0	18,796 18 0	20,818 10 3

INSOLVENCIES.

No. 139.—Area, Value, &c., of Crown Grants Registered, &c., under the Real Property Act, 1876-86.

Year.	Number of Grants.	Area.						Value.	Assurance.
		Town and Suburban.		Country.		Total.			
1876	5,275	a. r. p.		a. r. p.		a. r. p.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
		798 3 11		659,212 3 33		660,011 3 4		671,353 18 11	1,400 14 2
1877	9,107	1,248 2 4½		1,173,037 3 12½		1,174,286 1 16½		1,204,648 3 0	2,512 2 4
1878	13,303	1,038 2 12½		2,038,124 3 2		2,039,163 1 14½		2,068,908 4 10	3,314 2 4
1879	19,655	2,731 3 8		2,781,788 1 29		2,784,520 0 37		3,063,849 3 9	6,389 0 10
1880	5,683	1,414 0 17¾		567,745 3 31½		569,160 0 9½		653,779 8 10	1,371 10 10
1881	7,406	1,641 1 36		908,225 1 0		909,866 2 36		1,002,402 12 9	2,092 19 7
1882	8,965	2,146 3 33½		1,255,302 0 6¾		1,257,449 0 0		1,402,721 14 4	2,924 16 1
1883	8,200	1,636 1 36½		1,038,921 3 34		1,040,558 1 30½		1,301,850 17 11	2,714 2 11
1884	5,829	3,283 0 26¾		394,643 3 21		397,927 0 7¾		498,481 8 2	1,040 8 1
1885	4,006	800 3 35¾		502,764 1 20		503,565 1 15¾		666,169 16 10	1,388 13 0
1886	4,447	1,872 3 35½		397,414 2 7		399,287 2 2½		562,958 19 9	1,174 1 9

No. 140.—Number of Insolvencies in the Colony, with Amount of Liabilities, Assets, &c., during the years 1876-86.

Year.	Number of Insolvents.			Amount of Liabilities, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Assets, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Number of Assignees elected by Creditors to act with the Official Assignee.	Amount of Deficiency shown in the Insolvents' Estates.	Amount of Court Fees in Insolvency collected under the Act of Council and paid at the Treasury.
	Voluntary.	Compulsory.	Total.					
1876	No.	No.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	461	41	502	492,846 12 0	169,603 7 8	2	323,243 4 4	1,738 17 0
1877	534	54	588	508,352 10 4	210,821 4 1	2	297,531 6 3	1,850 4 0
1878	652	64	716	664,736 5 4	350,176 9 2	.....	314,559 16 2	2,326 3 0
1879	767	96	863	781,334 4 3	306,103 8 7	.....	475,230 15 8	2,397 8 8
1880	784	50	834	479,863 13 11	292,233 0 6	.....	187,630 13 5	2,524 12 4
1881	664	60	724	379,289 12 11	218,211 15 8	.....	161,077 17 3	2,067 11 0
1882	686	48	734	307,983 15 10	167,875 17 8	.....	139,207 18 2	2,303 11 6
1883	720	65	785	444,593 16 3	245,836 4 1	3	189,757 12 2	2,680 18 10
1884	856	62	918	836,164 17 4	580,194 10 3	2	255,970 7 1	2,993 15 6
1885	849	80	929	773,212 4 8	589,358 15 4	2	183,853 9 4	3,123 19 2
1886	1,116	105	1,221	989,261 17 8	733,127 5 4	1	256,134 12 4	4,035 9 11

No. 141.—Number and Amount of Preferable Liens on Wool and of Mortgages on Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, 1876–86.

Year.	Preferable Liens on Wool.			Mortgages on Live Stock.				
	No. of Liens.	No. of Sheep.	Amount of Liens.	No. of Mortg-ages.	No. of Sheep.	No. of Horned Cattle.	No. of Horses.	Amount Lent.
1876	920	4,828,951	£ 752,818 18 9	758	2,480,004	258,447	5,847	2,157,834 18 8
1877	994	4,386,378	627,779 9 7	1,994	2,565,962	185,796	6,726	2,004,363 2 10
1878	1,027	4,611,696	714,272 16 1	914	2,647,183	183,210	8,412	2,059,348 9 9
1879	1,246	6,602,742	1,005,118 4 6	925	3,538,161	128,685	9,564	2,268,850 5 1
1880	1,479	6,216,741	981,171 19 8	901	4,858,265	183,555	401	2,818,967 1 1
1881	1,609	5,709,061	904,011 13 9	1,275	5,982,994	215,564	9,646	4,623,914 19 3
1882	1,289	4,837,667	801,174 10 5	1,074	3,865,331	112,441	8,391	3,391,984 3 10
1883	1,301	6,349,801	1,026,573 18 4	1,077	3,601,890	131,068	7,389	2,486,407 10 5
1884	1,379	4,168,185	973,179 7 1	1,471	2,696,994	77,241	8,097	1,881,082 9 2
1885	1,236	5,263,407	1,327,214 0 0	1,431	4,730,233	117,241	10,764	2,962,471 7 0
1886	1,187	9,049,194	1,454,154 0 0	1,363	4,323,553	79,616	10,349	2,404,813 0 0

N.B.—When any sum has been secured, both by a Lien on the Wool and by a Mortgage of the Sheep, the amount is included under the head of Mortgages only.

No. 142.—Number and Amount on Discharges of Mortgages on Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, 1876–86.

Year.	Number.	Amount.			Year.	Number.	Amount.
			£	s. d.			
1876	...	190	1,028,079	4 2	1882	...	258
1877	...	225	1,292,703	3 6	1883	...	126
1878	...	159	1,037,119	1 11	1884	...	306
1879	...	161	1,247,708	4 11	1885	...	208
1880	...	232	3,804,475	5 11	1886	...	150
1881	...	399	2,781,122	2 2			

No. 143.—Number and Amount of Liens on Growing Crops in the Colony, Registered in Sydney, 1876–86.

Year.	Number.	Amount.			Year.	Number.	Amount.
			£	s. d.			
1876	...	319	16,418	14 2	1882	...	854
1877	...	477	27,086	8 6	1883	...	814
1878	...	539	43,186	6 7½	1884	...	888
1879	...	778	55,869	1 4	1885	...	857
1880	...	797	81,625	19 11	1886	...	989
1881	...	897	42,255	3 7			

POST OFFICE.

No. 144.—Number of Post Offices, &c., in New South Wales, also Letters, Offices,

Year.	Number of Post Offices.	Number of Receiving Offices.	Number of Persons employed.	Number of Miles travelled by Mail Conveyance.	Extent of Postal Lines in Miles.	Number of Letters.			Number of Foreign.	
						Foreign.	Inland.	Town.		
1876	782	18	1,090	3,891,906	18,418	1,852,400	9,986,000	2,628,500	1,508,300
1877	810	48	1,180	4,095,530	19,508	1,979,500	11,579,500	2,950,000	1,652,000
1878	847	75	1,272	4,389,925	20,176	2,220,600	12,782,900	3,156,400	1,657,600
1879	884	101	1,452	4,776,925	21,368	2,442,700	13,772,600	3,192,000	2,020,000
1880	927	119	1,536	5,246,373	22,427	2,776,000	18,956,500	2,381,200	
1881	973	155	1,691	5,467,182	23,094	3,159,400	23,196,200	2,726,400	
1882	1,005	169	1,824	5,861,317	23,923	3,589,200	25,737,300	2,720,600	
1883	1,046	188	1,960	6,264,300	25,162	4,168,100	31,258,300	3,014,500	
1884	1,085	206	2,076	6,509,446	26,430	4,947,200	37,289,800	3,689,600	
1885	1,115	202	2,155	6,621,996	26,683	5,328,200	34,023,000	3,987,900	
1886	1,157	217	2,307	6,891,200	27,094	5,582,700	37,267,200	4,276,300	

No. 145.—Number and Amount of Money Orders issued and paid, also Commission—1876–86.

Year.	Issued.			Paid.			Commission.					
	Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.							
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1876...	112,684	465,770	10 11	101,492	421,161	15	8	4,663	1	6	
1877...	129,120	494,468	19	2	120,493	450,476	15	9	5,247	18	6
1878...	142,025	538,799	17	8	129,143	487,458	6	3	5,772	0	6
1879...	159,897	582,422	14	8	142,201	515,075	17	11	6,487	13	0
1880...	190,606	669,022	3	5	168,944	583,340	1	1	7,684	6	0
1881...	220,670	771,977	15	3	195,757	675,025	9	10	8,799	8	0
1882...	247,716	883,523	14	5	218,334	771,860	10	4	10,027	9	0
1883...	275,592	963,698	8	8	239,595	829,770	0	5	11,370	14	0
1884...	305,883	1,068,068	5	3	270,678	921,904	6	7	12,650	18	0
1885...	337,856	1,169,569	5	10	298,082	997,960	19	1	14,243	5	6
1886...	345,825	1,134,954	18	1	309,576	982,335	11	5	14,927	1	0

TELEGRAPHS.

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Newspapers, Packets, & Book Parcels, &c., passing through the various Post
1876-86.

Newspapers.	Packets and Book Parcels.		Total.			Income.	Expenditure. (Includes the esti- mated outstanding Liabilities for the year.)	Year.
	Inland.	Inland.	Foreign.	Letters.	Newspapers.			
5,408,900	304,400	109,500	14,466,900	6,917,200	413,900	128,641 16 11	206,798 13 7	1876
6,733,000	263,600	135,000	16,509,000	8,385,000	398,600	154,170 18 3	226,305 5 6	1877
7,811,600	403,700	133,100	18,159,900	9,469,200	536,800	155,621 19 6	248,216 11 8	1878
9,447,100	459,200	136,300	19,407,300	11,467,100	595,500	171,366 17 0	263,787 17 6	1879
11,409,800	565,000	146,600	21,732,500	13,791,800	711,600	194,084 8 7	268,128 0 0	1880
13,801,500	670,800	180,500	26,355,600	16,527,900	851,300	205,446 7 11	273,451 5 11	1881
15,361,700	1,044,200	218,600	29,326,500	18,082,300	1,262,800	229,910 15 1	288,186 9 4	1882
16,562,800	1,379,200	269,700	35,426,400	19,577,300	1,648,900	261,812 16 3	326,674 0 5	1883
21,373,900	2,705,900	316,200	42,237,000	25,063,500	3,022,100	289,192 3 11	351,253 11 9	1884
21,579,500	2,894,200	552,600	39,351,200	25,567,400	3,446,800	316,171 12 11	375,964 17 6	1885
25,256,100	3,983,000	865,800	42,849,900	29,532,400	4,848,800	330,591 0 0	396,710 1 3	1886

No. 146.—Number and Value of Telegrams; also, Length of Line, Cost of Construction and Revenue received—1877-86.

Year.	No. of Stations.	No. of Telegrams.	Receipts.		Revenue received.	No. of Miles of Wire.	Cost of Construction.
			Amount for Telegrams.	Total.			
1877	190	1,001,884	£ 65,645 6 0	£ 96,357 10 2	£ 65,645 6 0	9,761	343,973 4 8
1878	236	1,132,287	98,125 8 7	98,125 8 7	76,226 18 11	11,760	413,258 4 2
1879	273	1,175,218	103,033 4 9	103,033 4 9	80,490 0 6	12,426	437,120 5 3
1880	289	1,319,537	123,172 4 5	123,172 4 5	84,110 4 8	13,188	462,225 12 0
1881	318	1,607,206	125,335 17 2	125,335 17 2	98,664 17 4	14,278	492,211 6 5
1882	345	1,965,931	153,554 11 4	153,554 11 4	120,265 13 4	15,901	536,399 10 3
1883	368	2,107,288	165,276 4 10	165,276 4 10	134,643 2 4	17,272	564,315 19 4
1884	394	2,334,052	176,260 13 7	176,260 13 7	146,386 8 2	18,681	601,459 13 2
1885	404	2,625,992	191,191 17 4	191,191 17 4	155,073 10 3	19,864	641,669 0 7
1886	425	2,661,126	184,053 6 0	184,053 6 0	158,127 14 0	20,797	666,028 6 11

NOTE.—In 1877 the Balance on Intercolonial business and Guaranteed Lines, &c., was £30,712 4s. 2d., including £28,146 3s. 3d. for Foreign and New Zealand Telegrams.

No. 147.—Earnings, Working Expenses, Capital Invested on Lines Open, and Interest on Capital during each year, from 1855 to 1886.

Year.	Length of Line, 31 December.	Number of Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods.	Earnings from Coaching Traffic.	Earnings from Goods Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Earnings per Train Mile.	Working Expenses per Train Mile.	Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Interest on Capital.	
	Miles.	No.	Tons.	£	£	£	£	d.	d.	per cent.	£	£	per cent.	
1855	...	14	98,846	140	9,093	156	9,249	5,959	157·34	101·37	64·43	3,290	515,347	1·638
1856	...	23	350,724	2,469	29,526	2,757	32,283	21,788	113·32	76·48	67·49	10,495	683,217	1·536
1857	...	40	329,019	20,847	34,970	8,417	43,387	31,338	96·58	69·75	72·23	12,050	1,023,838	1·176
1858	...	55	376,492	33,385	45,858	16,451	62,309	43,928	105·69	74·51	70·50	18,381	1,231,867	1·492
1859	...	55	425,877	43,020	46,502	15,258	61,760	47,598	100·41	77·38	77·07	14,162	1,278,416	1·107
1860	...	70	551,044	55,394	45,428	16,841	62,269	50,427	83·37	67·52	80·98	11,841	1,422,672	1·832
1861	...	73	595,591	101,130	49,637	25,367	75,004	61,187	83·77	68·34	81·58	13,817	1,536,032	1·899
1862	...	97	642,431	205,139	62,096	41,775	103,871	68,725	90·79	60·07	66·16	35,146	1,907,807	1·842
1863	...	124	627,164	218,535	71,297	52,644	123,941	96,867	94·38	73·76	78·16	27,073	2,466,950	1·097
1864	...	143	693,174	379,661	81,487	66,167	147,653	103,715	85·30	59·92	70·24	43,938	2,631,790	1·669
1865	...	143	751,587	416,707	92,984	73,048	166,032	108,926	82·42	54·07	65·60	57,106	2,746,373	2·079
1866	...	143	668,330	500,937	85,636	82,899	168,535	106,230	82·49	51·99	63·64	62,305	2,786,094	2·236
1867	...	204	616,375	517,022	87,564	101,508	189,072	117,324	82·02	46·87	62·08	71,748	3,282,320	2·185
1868	...	247	714,563	596,514	99,408	124,951	224,359	144,201	70·06	45·03	64·29	80,158	4,060,950	1·973
1869	...	318	759,635	714,113	109,427	155,548	264,975	176,362	71·17	47·37	66·57	88,613	4,681,329	1·892
1870	...	339	776,707	766,523	117,854	189,288	307,142	206,003	81·81	54·86	67·08	101,139	5,566,092	1·817

No. 147—*continued.*

Year.	Length of Line, 31 December.	Number of Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods.	Earnings from Coaching Traffic.	Earnings from Goods Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Earnings per Train Mile.	Working Expenses per Train Mile.	Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Interest on Capital.
	Miles.	No.	Tons.	£	£	£	£	d.	d.	per cent.	£	£	per cent.
1871	... 358	759,062	741,986	129,496	225,826	355,322	197,065	91·57	50·79	55·46	158,257	5,887,258	2·688
1872	... 398	753,910	825,360	164,862	260,127	424,989	207,918	98·43	48·15	48·92	217,071	6,388,727	3·397
1873	... 403	875,602	923,788	178,216	306,020	484,236	238,035	104·71	51·47	49·16	246,201	6,739,918	3·653
1874	... 403	1,085,501	1,070,938	188,595	347,980	536,575	257,703	103·09	49·51	48·03	278,872	6,844,546	4·074
1875	... 473	1,288,225	1,171,354	205,941	408,707	614,648	296,174	100·20	48·28	48·18	318,474	7,245,379	4·396
1876	... 509	1,727,730	1,244,131	233,870	459,355	693,225	339,406	98·50	48·22	48·96	353,819	7,990,601	4·428
1877	... 598	2,957,144	1,430,041	271,588	544,332	815,920	418,985	92·95	47·73	51·35	396,935	8,883,177	4·468
1878	... 688	3,705,733	1,625,886	306,308	596,681	902,989	536,988	81·62	48·54	59·47	366,001	9,784,645	3·741
1879	... 734	4,317,864	1,720,815	319,950	632,416	952,366	604,721	77·94	49·49	63·49	347,645	10,406,495	3·341
1880	... 849	5,440,138	1,712,971	390,149	770,868	1,161,017	647,719	86·02	47·99	55·79	513,298	11,778,819	4·358
1881	... 995	6,907,312	2,033,850	488,675	955,551	1,444,226	738,334	88·33	45·16	51·12	705,892	13,301,597	5·307
1882	... 1,268	8,984,313	2,619,427	587,825	1,111,038	1,698,863	934,635	84·05	46·24	55·02	764,228	15,843,616	5·135
1883	... 1,320	10,272,037	2,864,566	661,751	1,269,713	1,931,464	1,177,788	78·07	47·61	60·97	753,676	16,905,014	4·484
1884	... 1,618	11,253,109	3,124,425	745,665	1,340,572	2,086,237	1,301,259	78·19	48·77	62·37	784,978	20,080,138	4·201
1885	... 1,732	13,506,346	3,273,004	830,904	1,343,464	2,174,368	1,458,153	78·61	52·72	67·06	716,215	21,831,276	3·370
1886	... 1,890	14,881,604	3,211,951	847,916	1,312,154	2,160,070	1,492,992	80·01	55·30	69·12	667,078	24,079,555	2·901

TRAMWAYS.

No. 148.—Tramways: Earnings and Expenditure—1879–86.

Year.	Total Length of Lines in Miles.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Extensions not opened.	Total Capital Expended.	General Total of Passengers' Tickets.	Value of Fares received.	Tonnage of Goods.	Amount for Goods.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Earnings over Working Expenses.
		£	£	£	No.	£ s. d.	tons. cwt. qr. lb.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1879	1½	22,061	.....	22,061	443,341	4,416 8 4	.....	.....	.....	4,416 8 4	2,277 16 10	2,138 11 6
1880	4½	60,218	1,683	61,901	2,086,897	18,968 2 11	.....	.....	12 1 6	18,980 4 5	13,443 18 6	5,536 5 11
1881	11¼	181,659	38,659	220,318	7,090,125	61,921 6 10	.....	.....	627 12 9	62,548 19 7	52,106 17 7	10,442 2 0
1882	29½	447,939	10,206	458,145	15,296,238	127,123 18 5	5,621 4 2 11	864 17 6	365 12 11	128,354 8 10	120,180 17 11	8,173 10 1
1883	32½	579,439	104,686	648,125	25,713,433	190,208 14 5	11,315 4 1 0	1,492 9 9	2,227 15 9	193,928 19 11	183,217 15 0	10,711 4 11
1884	35	683,179	106,320	789,499	30,231,382	218,884 12 3	9,603 10 3 13	1,607 6 9	2,961 18 10	223,453 17 10	215,085 12 7	8,368 5 3
1885	35	748,506	142,217	890,723	39,620,614	220,331 18 10	13,961 5 2 12	1,936 7 11	4,875 19 2	227,144 5 11	207,897 17 10	19,246 8 1
1886	36½	854,260	131,342	985,602	53,973,311	230,373 17 1	14,165 7 1 12	1,885 10 2	1,883 9 7	234,142 16 10	207,635 9 3	26,507 7 7

PART VI.—AGRICULTURE AND PRODUCTION.

No. 149.—Number of Holdings, Area Cultivated, Enclosed and Unenclosed; also Total Extent of Holdings in each Electorate, with the Number of Hands Employed in Agricultural or Pastoral Occupations, 1886–87.

Electorate.		Number of Holdings of more than 1 acre.	Hands employed in Agricultural or Pastoral pursuits.	Area Cultivated.	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area of Holdings.
				acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Albury ...	...	220	381	8,405	118,923	3,053	121,976
Argyle ...	...	1,188	1,769	22,759	753,703	29,228	782,931
Balmain ...	...	56	6	22	275	63	338
Balranald ...	...	353	1,872	5,379	2,720,910	46,619	2,767,529
Bogan ...	...	951	2,145	14,293	1,098,112	258,716	1,372,128
Boorowa ...	...	472	322	10,252	337,744	51,192	388,936
Bourke ...	...	269	1,425	486	684,763	190,126	874,889
Braidwood ...	...	525	420	5,350	225,417	7,225	232,642
Camden ...	...	1,612	.....	25,410	366,655	28,032	394,687
Canterbury ...	...	993	1,207	1,607	12,349	1,037	13,386
Carcoar ...	...	1,092	813	30,608	580,826	97,622	678,448
Clarence ...	...	812	1,317	21,779	90,030	3,664	93,694
Central Cumberland ...	...	1,512	.....	11,841	96,920	7,741	104,663
Durham ...	...	632	917	8,807	248,120	13,800	261,920
Eden ...	...	1,158	2,424	21,159	408,510	81,381	409,891
Forbes ...	...	446	1,004	8,315	385,920	45,296	431,216
Glebe ...	...	9	13	18	44	.....	44
Glen Innes ...	...	455	528	9,461	202,463	76,183	278,646
Gloucester ...	...	457	545	3,986	92,450	374,484	466,934
Goulburn ...	...	104	96	671	3,132	150	3,282
Grafton ...	...	776	1,110	13,732	116,841	19,255	136,096
Grenfell ...	...	572	1,025	9,912	788,197	81,507	869,704
Gundagai ...	...	654	1,111	26,625	715,467	44,088	759,555
Gunnedah ...	...	406	994	7,410	1,337,243	41,982	1,379,225
Gwydir ...	...	597	967	3,216	1,052,974	234,470	1,287,444
Hartley ...	...	483	612	4,822	100,743	33,509	65,275
Hastings and Manning ...	...	532	1,401	18,023	170,961	102,460	273,421
Hawkesbury ...	...	899	.....	14,636	78,282	5,709	93,991
Hume ...	...	939	1,550	44,783	1,904,084	22,935	1,927,749
Hunter ...	...	530	1,193	7,995	101,872	5,356	107,228
Hunter, Upper ...	...	1,035	1,257	12,209	1,209,970	70,968	1,280,938
Illawarra ...	...	507	.....	5,207	53,378	11,897	65,275
Inverell ...	...	487	717	14,995	363,842	43,266	407,108

OCCUPATION OF LAND.

No. 149—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of Holdings of more than 1 acre.	Hands employed in Agricultural or Pastoral pursuits.	Area Cultivated.	Area Enclosed.	Area Unenclosed.	Total Area of Holdings.
Kiama ...	542	.....	26,956	60,135	727	60,862
Macleay ...	1,104	1,642	29,406	107,484	45,589	153,073
Macquarie, East ...	637	539	28,956	204,686	21,115	225,893
Macquarie, West ...	418	503	23,673	164,124	14,112	178,236
Maitland, East ...	225	375	1,923	28,265	4,377	32,642
Maitland, West ...	72	132	885	1,072	.....	1,072
Molong ...	843	1,456	37,905	447,990	59,875	507,865
Monaro ...	1,092	1,651	16,446	1,064,650	90,877	1,155,527
Morpeth ...	329	676	9,409	35,157	2,723	37,880
Mudgee ...	1,253	1,416	25,557	389,889	40,843	430,732
Murray ...	522	1,431	25,600	3,360,137	56,812	3,416,949
Murrumbidgee ...	1,675	3,041	43,871	4,824,573	250,788	5,075,361
Namoi ...	451	759	3,598	678,151	115,970	794,121
Nepean ...	690	.....	5,767	100,559	12,432	112,991
Newcastle ...	30	63	59	2,240	1,701	3,941
New England ...	1,091	1,402	20,339	776,222	135,051	911,273
Newtown ...	29	10	17	225	6	231
Northumberland ...	224	323	925	18,941	24,538	43,479
Orange ...	619	631	31,052	180,918	18,332	199,250
Paddington ...	215	180	334	1,393	1,099	2,492
Parramatta ...	42	.....	119	294	1	295
Patrick's Plains ...	607	435	9,389	441,651	4,699	446,350
Queanbeyan ...	501	725	10,039	507,803	26,414	534,217
Redfern ...	297	726	576	7,595	585	8,180
Richmond ...	2,113	3,061	40,583	360,552	262,334	619,886
Shoalhaven ...	1,232	.....	66,646	223,573	35,227	258,799
St. Leonards ...	408	382	1,889	8,314	8,139	16,453
Sydney, East, South, and West	5	7	2	11	2	13
Tamworth ...	837	1,293	23,496	698,094	111,982	810,076
Tenterfield ...	427	333	5,840	78,134	31,242	109,376
Tumut ...	631	922	9,372	259,655	15,096	274,751
Wellington ...	532	934	17,346	229,329	45,495	274,824
Wentworth ...	188	1,742	1,607	236,354	20,024	256,378
Wollombi ...	758	821	8,545	102,918	47,781	150,699
Yass Plains ...	709	639	16,347	529,523	27,116	556,639
Young ...	831	1,182	39,053	729,463	26,614	756,077
Total ...	44,932	*57,873	†977,664	‡33,328,883	‡3,397,286	‡36,726,169

* Not complete.

† Land leased from Crown included. The extent of land cultivated, other than Crown leases, was 972,496 acres.

‡ Crown land not included.

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No. 150.—Holdings of Various Sizes, and Proportion to Total Land in Occupation, during the year 1886-87.

Size of Holdings.	No. of Holdings.	Area, Freehold.	Area, Leasehold. ^a	Total.	Percentage of Land in each class of Holdings
1 to 15 acres ...	6,512	25,033	16,435	41,468	*10
16 „ 200 „ ...	21,288	1,358,587	448,086	1,806,673	4'91
201 „ 400 „ ...	6,382	1,615,878	261,036	1,876,914	5'17
401 „ 1,000 „ ...	6,792	3,896,358	379,059	4,275,417	11'63
1,001 „ 2,000 „ ...	1,948	2,443,760	355,238	2,798,998	7'61
2,000 „ 10,000 „ ...	1,458	5,406,015	612,801	6,018,816	16'38
10,000 acres and upwards ...	552	17,219,278	2,688,605	19,907,883	54'20
Total Holdings over 1 acre...	44,932	31,964,909	4,761,260	36,726,169	.....

^a Leased from private persons.

No. 151.—Average Area of Holdings in the various Electoral Districts of the Colony, in the year 1886-87.

Electoral Districts.	Acres.	Electoral Districts.	Acres.	Electoral Districts.	Acres.
Albury	554	Gunnedah	3,397	The Murrumbidgee ...	3,030
Argyle	665	Gwydir	2,157	The Namoi	1,761
Balranald	7,840	Hartley	278	The Nepean	164
Bogan	1,427	Hastings and Manning	514	Newcastle	131
Burrowa	824	Hawkesbury	104	New England ...	835
Bourke	3,252	Hume	2,058	Northumberland ...	194
Braidwood	443	Hunter	292	Orange	322
Camden	245	,, Upper... ...	1,238	Patrick's Plains ...	735
Carcoar	621	Illawarra	129	Queanbeyan	1,066
Clarence	115	Inverell	836	The Richmond ...	293
Central Cumberland...	69	Kiama	112	Shoalhaven	194
Durham	384	Macleay	139	Tamworth	988
Eden	423	Macquarie, East ...	354	Tenterfield	256
Forbes	967	,, West ...	426	Tumut	435
Glen Innes	613	Maitland East ...	145	Wellington	517
Gloucester	1,022	Molong	602	Wentworth	1,364
Goulburn	31	Monaro	1,057	Wollombi	199
Grafton	175	Morpeth	115	Yass Plains	785
Grenfell	1,520	Mudgee	344	Young	910
Gundagai	1,161	The Murray	6,545		

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No. 152.—Number of Occupiers of Land in holdings of not less than one Acre in
and the Area Unenclosed, in the

Holdings of various sizes.	Number of Holders.	* Extent of Holding.			† Acreage under Crop.		
		Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.	Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.
1 to 5 acres	3,880	8,194	4,210	12,404	2,862	1,907	4,769
6 „ 15 „	2,632	16,839	12,225	29,064	6,612	4,291	10,903
16 „ 30 „	2,335	28,842	27,869	56,711	10,354	16,027	26,381
31 „ 50 „	5 165	152,888	68,569	221,457	33,011	31,323	64,334
51 „ 100 „	6,619	386,699	149,439	536,138	69,088	48,211	117,299
101 „ 200 „	7,169	790,158	202,209	992,367	127,488	45,364	172,852
201 „ 300 „	3,554	748,558	137,839	886,397	84,690	25,720	110,410
301 „ 400 „	2,828	867,320	123,197	990,517	69,941	18,384	88,325
401 „ 500 „	1,667	668,249	90,207	758,456	47,532	10,207	57,739
501 „ 600 „	1,058	527,093	56,389	583,482	33,496	6,213	39,709
601 „ 700 „	2,650	1,592,356	99,625	1,691,981	48,777	5,099	53,876
701 „ 800 „	549	360,917	46,215	407,132	20,703	2,866	23,589
801 „ 900 „	428	329,815	37,870	367,685	14,499	1,274	15,723
901 „ 1,000 „	440	417,928	48,753	466,681	15,355	2,465	17,820
1,001 „ 1,500 „	1,283	1,420,689	197,168	1,617,857	46,562	4,342	50,904
1,501 „ 2,000 „	665	1,023,071	158,070	1,181,141	26,412	2,682	29,094
2,001 „ 3,000 „	601	1,315,712	160,587	1,476,299	22,951	1,571	24,522
3,001 „ 4,000 „	322	995,585	152,164	1,147,749	11,259	781	12,040
4,001 „ 5,000 „	155	715,420	47,676	763,096	5,021	36	5,057
5,001 „ 7,500 „	243	1,290,941	147,116	1,438,057	7,866	388	8,254
7,501 „ 10,000 „	137	1,088,357	105,258	1,193,615	4,650	79	4,729
10,001 „ 15,000 „	158	1,778,132	148,651	1,926,783	6,674	526	7,200
15,001 „ 20,000 „	90	1,349,006	215,671	1,564,677	7,944	8	7,952
20,001 „ 30,000 „	106	2,370,621	153,551	2,524,172	6,018	138	6,156
30,001 „ 40,000 „	49	1,603,398	100,677	1,704,075	2,670	.....	2,670
40,001 and upwards	149	10,118,121	2,070,055	12,188,176	10,182	7	10,189
General Total ...	44,932	31,964,909	4,761,260	36,726,169	742,567	229,929	972,496

* Crown Leaseholds are not included

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extent, with the Acreage under Crop, the Area Enclosed but not in cultivation, year ending 31st March, 1887.

Acreage enclosed but not in cultivation.			Acreage unenclosed.			Holdings of various sizes.	
Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.	Freehold.	Leasehold.	Total.		
4,962	2,144	6,836	640	159	799	1 to 5 acres	
8,943	5,198	14,141	1,284	2,736	4,020	6,, 15,,	
16,133	11,144	27,277	2,355	698	3,053	16,, 30,,	
87,178	33,355	120,533	32,699	3,891	36,590	31,, 50,,	
236,781	91,420	328,201	80,830	9,808	90,638	51,, 100,,	
571,585	141,693	713,278	91,085	15,152	106,237	101,, 200,,	
511,824	99,692	611,516	152,044	12,427	164,471	201,, 300,,	
624,973	94,653	719,626	172,406	10,160	182,566	301,, 400,,	
501,656	72,375	574,031	119,061	7,625	126,686	401,, 500,,	
417,301	43,667	460,968	76,296	6,509	82,805	501,, 600,,	
1,222,387	76,883	1,299,270	321,192	17,643	338,835	601,, 700,,	
29,258	37,599	326,857	50,956	5,730	56,686	701,, 800,,	
270,766	29,153	299,919	44,600	7,443	52,043	801,, 900,,	
354,516	40,789	395,305	48,057	5,499	53,556	901,, 1,000,,	
1,201,143	161,843	1,362,986	172,984	30,983	203,967	1,001,, 1,500,,	
906,082	123,793	1,029,875	90,577	31,595	122,172	1,501,, 2,000,,	
1,154,269	123,821	1,278,090	138,492	35,195	173,687	2,001,, 3,000,,	
896,583	99,943	996,526	87,743	51,440	139,183	3,001,, 4,000,,	
653,028	39,313	692,341	57,371	8,327	65,698	4,001,, 5,000,,	
1,184,142	133,940	1,318,082	98,933	12,788	111,721	5,001,, 7,500,,	
1,021,953	79,379	1,101,332	61,754	25,800	87,554	7,501,, 10,000,,	
1,679,200	122,131	1,801,331	92,258	25,994	118,252	10,001,, 15,000,,	
1,289,630	114,154	1,403,784	51,432	101,509	152,941	15,001,, 20,000,,	
2,246,448	151,713	2,398,161	118,155	1,700	119,855	20,001,, 30,000,,	
1,545,682	98,757	1,644,439	55,046	1,920	56,966	30,001,, 40,000,,	
9,700,594	1,731,088	11,431,682	407,345	338,960	746,305	40,001 and upwards	
28,596,747	3,759,640	32,356,387	2,625,595	771,691	3,397,286		

† Total land cultivated, including Crown Lands, &c., 977,664.

HOLDINGS.

No. 153.—Number of Holdings over One Acre in Area, during each year from 1879-87.

Size of Holding.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
1 to 5 acres ...	2,561	2,838	3,276	3,076	2,919	2,968	3,100	3,492	3,880
6 „ 15 „ ...	2,115	2,136	2,274	2,106	2,205	2,177	2,309	2,385	2,632
16 „ 30 „ ...	2,236	2,227	2,160	2,129	2,141	2,243	2,375	2,375	2,335
31 „ 50 „ ...	5,194	5,510	5,216	5,147	5,027	4,924	5,156	5,124	5,165
51 „ 100 „ ...	6,510	6,775	6,459	6,512	6,365	6,395	6,627	6,691	6,619
101 „ 200 „ ...	6,420	6,790	6,810	6,577	6,474	6,608	6,840	6,977	7,169
201 „ 300 „ ...	3,028	3,230	3,304	3,202	3,197	3,299	3,511	3,510	3,554
301 „ 400 „ ...	2,885	2,969	2,550	2,551	2,563	2,670	2,852	2,775	2,828
401 „ 500 „ ...	1,177	1,272	1,313	1,302	1,387	1,439	1,591	1,596	1,667
501 „ 600 „ ...	777	848	941	881	936	982	1,015	1,111	1,058
601 „ 700 „ ...	1,674	1,780	1,452	1,630	2,014	2,311	2,493	2,510	2,650
701 „ 800 „ ...	355	455	448	439	466	527	560	537	549
801 „ 900 „ ...	269	268	338	336	384	367	400	417	428
901 „ 1,000 „ ...	346	341	341	371	372	405	438	446	440
1,001 „ 1,500 „ ...	802	797	981	965	1,038	1,094	1,276	1,193	1,283
1,501 „ 2,000 „ ...	357	415	486	505	512	573	610	618	665
2,001 „ 3,000 „ ...	387	372	515	489	536	547	580	627	601
3,001 „ 4,000 „ ...	162	189	235	224	260	251	261	273	322
4,001 „ 5,000 „ ...	102	120	166	144	158	165	175	147	155
5,001 „ 7,500 „ ...	149	161	186	197	217	218	228	208	243
7,501 „ 10,000 „ ...	84	98	127	122	126	159	169	151	137
10,001 „ 15,000 „ ...	91	115	135	157	133	124	130	171	158
15,001 „ 20,000 „ ...	52	59	78	75	94	83	94	86	90
20,001 „ 30,000 „ ...	51	47	71	75	82	85	94	102	106
30,001 „ 40,000 „ ...	36	36	34	45	50	56	65	44	49
40,001 and upwards ...	67	70	96	97	104	123	130	160	149

AGRICULTURE.

154.—State of Agriculture in the Colony during the year ended 31st March, 1887.

EXTENT OF HOLDINGS.

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No. 155.—Average Size of Holdings in each year, from 1876 to 1887.

Year ended 31st March.					Average area of Holdings.	Year ended 31st March.					Average area of Holdings.
					acres.						acres.
1876	...	...	...	...	315	1882	...	...	...	...	703
1877	...	...	...	...	459	1883	...	...	...	...	772
1878	...	...	...	...	481	1884	...	...	...	...	817
1879	...	...	...	...	564	1885	...	...	...	...	813
1880	...	...	...	...	569	1886	...	...	...	...	862
1881	...	...	...	...	691	1887	...	...	...	...	817

No. 156.—Number of Occupiers and Extent of Holdings, &c., during each year, from 1877 to 1887.

Year ended 31st March.	Number of Occupiers of Land (excluding those for Pastoral purposes).	Total extent of Holdings.	Extent of Land in Cultivation.	Extent of Land enclosed, but not in Cultivation.	Extent of Land unenclosed.
			acres.	acres.	acres.
1877	...	39,639	18,210,796	513,840	11,020,968
1878	...	40,329	19,435,896	546,556	13,792,620
1879	...	37,887	21,471,596	613,642	15,903,803
1880	...	39,918	22,721,603	635,641	17,578,389
1881	...	40,302	27,873,498	710,337	21,437,914
1882	...	39,354	27,692,208	645,068	21,998,485
1883	...	39,760	30,714,349	733,582	24,977,047
1884	...	40,793	33,352,998	789,082	27,241,009
1885	...	43,078	35,035,504	852,017	29,319,775
1886	...	43,727	37,690,596	868,093	32,162,515
1887	...	44,932	36,726,169	972,496	32,356,387

AREA UNDER CROP.

No. 157.—Area of Land under Different Crops

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Arrow- root.	Sorghum and Imphie.	Sugar- Produc- tive.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1877 ...	145,608 $\frac{3}{4}$	116,364 $\frac{3}{4}$	5,662	21,828 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,277	242 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,171 $\frac{1}{2}$	333	53 $\frac{1}{2}$	51 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,524
1878 ...	176,686 $\frac{3}{4}$	105,510	5,055	18,580 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,168 $\frac{1}{2}$	239 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,862 $\frac{1}{2}$	399	51 $\frac{3}{4}$	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,331 $\frac{3}{4}$
1879 ...	233,252 $\frac{1}{2}$	130,582 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,152	22,129	1,302	254 $\frac{3}{4}$	16,724 $\frac{3}{4}$	835	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	47 $\frac{1}{4}$	2,949 $\frac{3}{4}$
1880 ...	233,368 $\frac{1}{4}$	135,034	6,130 $\frac{1}{4}$	23,883 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,016 $\frac{1}{4}$	86	19,271	592	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	25 $\frac{3}{4}$	3,675 $\frac{1}{4}$
1881 ...	253,137 $\frac{3}{4}$	127,196	8,056	17,922 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,095 $\frac{3}{4}$	211 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,095 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,791 $\frac{1}{4}$	37	65 $\frac{1}{4}$	4,465 $\frac{1}{4}$
1882 ...	221,887 $\frac{3}{4}$	117,478 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,426 $\frac{3}{4}$	16,347 $\frac{3}{4}$	889 $\frac{1}{2}$	200 $\frac{1}{4}$	15,943 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,625	126 $\frac{3}{4}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,983 $\frac{3}{4}$
1883 ...	247,361	118,180	6,473 $\frac{1}{2}$	24,817 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,031 $\frac{1}{2}$	200 $\frac{1}{4}$	14,462 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,815	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	37	6,362 $\frac{1}{4}$
1884 ...	289,757	123,634 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,081	17,810 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,140 $\frac{1}{2}$	284 $\frac{3}{4}$	14,953 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,785 $\frac{3}{4}$	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	64	7,583
1885 ...	275,249 $\frac{1}{2}$	115,600 $\frac{1}{4}$	7,035 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,472 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,110 $\frac{1}{2}$	118 $\frac{1}{2}$	12,417 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,046	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	41	6,997
1886 ...	264,867	132,709	5,297 $\frac{3}{4}$	14,117	666	266 $\frac{1}{4}$	15,166	1,603	68	51	9,583 $\frac{1}{4}$
1887 ...	337,730	146,957	6,079	23,947	1,095	325	17,322	1,203	22	102	5,915

No. 158.—Produce raised in the Colony during

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Arrowroot.
	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	tons.	cwt.	lb.
1877 ...	2,391,979	3,879,537	134,158	461,916	22,277	4,400	42,938 $\frac{3}{4}$	3,440	86,458
1878 ...	2,445,507	3,551,806	99,485	358,853	19,184	3,877	34,957 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,049	83,554
1879 ...	3,439,326	4,420,580	132,072	447,912	22,563	5,023	53,590	7,932 $\frac{1}{4}$	47,484
1880 ...	3,613,266	4,761,856	131,541	516,937	16,873	1,855	62,227 $\frac{3}{4}$	6,221 $\frac{1}{2}$	38,531
1881 ...	3,717,355	4,518,897	163,395	356,121	16,814	5,680	52,111 $\frac{3}{4}$	19,469 $\frac{1}{2}$	33,865
1882 ...	3,405,966	4,330,956	135,218 $\frac{1}{2}$	356,566	14,677 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,519	44,323	18,311 $\frac{1}{4}$	14,412
1883 ...	4,042,395	4,057,635	133,050	617,465	17,380 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,066 $\frac{1}{2}$	43,460 $\frac{3}{4}$	17,540 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,034
1884 ...	4,345,437	4,538,604	106,496	376,635	16,274	4,078 $\frac{1}{2}$	36,976 $\frac{3}{4}$	20,006 $\frac{1}{4}$	6,090
1885 ...	4,271,394	3,389,505	148,869	425,920	16,739	1,843	31,334 $\frac{3}{4}$	9,914 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,027
1886 ...	2,733,133	4,336,163	85,606 $\frac{1}{2}$	279,107	7,846	6,685 $\frac{1}{2}$	38,695	22,947 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,070
1887 ...	5,868,844	3,825,146	132,949	600,892	17,784	4,749	45,803	13,642	3,130

PRODUCE—VARIOUS CROPS.

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during each year, for the period 1877–87.

cane.	Hay.				Sown Grasses, Oats, Barley, Sorghum, &c., &c., for green food for Cattle.	Vines.	Gardens and Orchards.	Orangeries.	All other in Crop.	Total Number of Acres in Crop.	Year ended 31st March.
	Unpro- ductive.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Grass.						
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
3,231 ³ ₄	17,115	2,041	77,212	15,578	61,516 ¹ ₄	4,457	20,453	.....	3,119 ¹ ₄	513,840	1877
3,735 ¹ ₄	29,640	1,875	79,333	14,930	65,072 ³ ₄	4,183 ³ ₄	19,900 ¹ ₂	.....	2,943	546,556	1878
4,489 ¹ ₄	22,888	1,414	61,684	18,110	60,249 ¹	4,237 ¹ ₂	18,017 ³ ₄	4,287	4,008 ³ ₄	613,642 ¹ ₄	1879
4,102 ³ ₄	25,281	1,838	67,877	17,418	64,643 ³ ₄	4,266 ¹ ₄	18,130 ¹ ₄	5,106	3,870 ₁ ₂	635,641	1880
6,506 ¹ ₄	41,137	2,262	68,758	18,996	102,540 ¹ ₂	4,800 ¹ ₄	18,626	5,939 ¹ ₂	7,698 ¹ ₄	710,337 ¹ ₄	1881
7,184 ¹ ₂	39,428	2,089	86,088	19,005	75,825 ¹ ₂	4,027 ³ ₄	15,541 ¹ ₄	6,301 ¹ ₄	3,638 ¹ ₄	645,068	1882
7,176 ¹ ₂	42,592	2,499	112,477	21,999	92,606 ¹ ₂	4,448	17,060 ¹ ₄	6,716 ¹ ₂	5,253 ³ ₄	733,582 ³ ₄	1883
7,401 ¹ ₂	49,348	2,159	107,451	19,545	107,993 ³ ₄	4,378 ¹ ₄	17,455	7,268 ¹ ₂	3,982 ³ ₄	789,082 ₁ ₂	1884
10,520 ¹ ₂	86,584	2,174	121,922	15,966	140,528 ³ ₄	4,584	20,416 ₁ ₂	6,911 ¹ ₂	3,309	852,017	1885
6,835 ³ ₄	105,122	2,314	96,946	15,504	156,710	5,247 ¹ ₄	19,245 ¹ ₄	7,733 ³ ₄	8,040 ³ ₄	868,093 ¹ ₄	1886
9,202	74,070	2,095	126,488	20,817	165,820	5,840	18,605	7,920	6,110	977,664	1887

each year, for the period 1877–86.

Sorghum and Impee (Grain).	Sugar- cane.	Hay.				Vines.			Oranges.	Year ended 31st March.
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Grass.	Wine.	Brandy.	Fruit for Table use.		
cwt.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	galls.	galls.	tons.	No. of doz.	
1,290	99,430	21,297	2,805	98,901	36,657	799,709	2,968 ¹ ₂	917 ³ ₄	.....	1877
2,745	99,978	29,137	2,134	87,660	35,144	708,431	1,481 ¹ ₂	797 ¹ ₂	.....	1878
1,735	104,192	31,320	2,258	75,138	63,690	684,733	2,540	1,102	3,398,445	1879
395	126,119	32,943	2,395	84,915	42,510	733,576	4,186 ¹ ₂	1,017 ¹ ₄	2,763,811	1880
840	121,616	44,037	2,616	77,811	49,730	602,007	6,628	1,579 ¹ ₂	3,810,356	1881
2,035	128,752	42,378	4,328	100,773	51,053	513,688 ¹ ₄	3,522	1,102 ³ ₄	5,164,134	1882
627 ³ ₄	169,192	43,997	3,558	140,979	54,387	543,596	1,614	1,440 ¹ ₄	4,978,829	1883
1,014 ¹ ₂	204,547	55,119	2,785	113,899	57,438	589,604	4,162	1,377 ³ ₄	8,112,658	1884
187	105,323	87,328	2,870	149,489	40,624	442,612	1,432	1,465 ¹ ₄	4,097,666	1885
1,145	239,347	74,606	1,749	72,484	42,532	555,470	3,893	1,695	8,749,256	1886
374	167,959	109,851	4,388	182,921	52,738	601,897	763	1,945	6,376,868	1887

No. 159.—Total Value of Crops grown in the Colony during each year, for the period 1878–87.

Crops.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Wheat	733,652	859,831	812,985	745,407	808,916	1,010,599	869,087	683,051	846,627	953,688
Maize	710,361	663,087	476,185	677,834	1,136,876	710,086	1,021,185	560,547	722,693	525,958
Barley	24,871	33,018	19,731	20,425	20,282	26,610	18,636	20,469	12,841	18,836
Oats	80,742	67,187	77,540	44,516	62,399	77,184	56,495	53,240	34,888	52,578
Other Grain Crops	5,285	4,640	2,810	2,812	2,642	3,859	3,460	2,531	1,915	17,151
Potatoes	183,524	254,552	202,241	169,364	132,969	130,383	110,931	94,002	116,085	103,057
Hay and Green Fodder	809,514	776,088	732,523	479,162	1,390,285	728,871	859,861	840,978	962,615	1,364,736
Sugar	233,647	244,400	223,068	219,000	234,584	145,628	400,936	194,960	369,280	98,676
Tobacco	9,147	23,796	18,663	58,407	54,933	52,620	60,018	29,742	68,842	51,157
Wine and Grapes	158,367	160,256	169,148	155,295	126,557	138,326	147,562	118,338	146,941	165,982
Fruit*	132,733	122,268	120,296	127,632	114,763	123,105	138,491	139,569	151,925	438,526
Minor Produce	88,290	120,270	116,110	230,940	109,140	157,620	119,520	99,270	241,230	153,300
Total value of Crops ...	£ 3,170,133	3,329,393	2,971,300	2,930,794	4,194,346	3,304,891	3,806,182	2,836,697	3,375,882	3,943,645

* Not ascertained exactly, prior to 1887.

No. 160.—Area of Land under Wheat: Total Yield per Acre for each year, 1862–87.

Year ended 31st March.	Area of Crop.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.	Year ended 31st March.	Area of Crop.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.
1862 ...	123,468	1,606,034	13.01	1875 ...	166,911	2,148,394	12.87
1863 ...	108,136	1,054,954	9.75	1876 ...	133,609	1,958,640	14.66
1864 ...	103,942	808,919	7.78	1877 ...	145,608	2,391,979	16.43
1865 ...	104,568	1,246,458	11.92	1878 ...	176,686	2,455,507	13.84
1866 ...	131,653	1,013,863	7.69	1879 ...	233,252	3,439,326	14.74
1867 ...	175,033	2,226,027	12.72	1880 ...	233,368	3,613,266	15.48
1868 ...	149,142	1,433,807	9.61	1881 ...	253,137	3,717,355	14.69
1869 ...	164,206	1,787,085	10.88	1882 ...	221,887	3,405,966	15.35
1870 ...	189,452	3,200,959	16.89	1883 ...	247,361	4,042,395	16.35
1871 ...	147,997	999,595	6.75	1884 ...	289,757	4,345,437	15.00
1872 ...	154,030	2,229,642	14.48	1885 ...	275,225	4,271,304	15.52
1873 ...	177,551	2,898,463	16.32	1886 ...	264,867	2,733,133	10.45
1874 ...	169,330	2,273,620	13.43	1887 ...	337,730	5,868,844	17.37
Average yield for twenty-six years							13.23

No. 161.—Proportion of Land under Wheat and Yield per Acre, in the chief Wheat-growing Districts of the Colony, during 1886–87.

District.	Proportion of Land under Wheat to whole Area of District.	Average yield per Acre.
	Acres.	
Young ...	1 in 45	15.6
Gundagai	50	17.0
Orange, Molong, and Carcoar	55	12.6
Bathurst	57	13.5
Yass and Burrowa	143	15.4
Murray Valley	148	12.2
Tamworth	148	15.2
Mudgee	178	15.6
Goulburn	212	15.3
Murrumbidgee	411	14.2
Wellington and Bogan	520	13.9
Tumut ...	533	19.6
Monaro	574	15.5
Hunter Valley	593	13.2
New England ...	648	18.7
Glen Innes, Inverell, and Tenterfield	718	18.9
Forbes and Grenfell ...	873	14.1
Gunnedah ...	3,131	16.9

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No. 162.—Comparative Statement, showing the Production of Wheat in the ended 31st

Districts.	Electoral Districts.	Area of Districts in Acres.	Year ended 31st March, 1883.					Year ended 31st March, 1884.				
			Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1882.	Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1883.		
Goulburn	{ Argyle { Goulburn	1,653,145	acres.	9,598	167,747	17·3	18·5	9,452	126,496	13·3	16·6	
Yass	{ Burrowa { Yass Plains	2,399,436	acres.	12,552	220,413	17·5	27·8	15,732	220,737	14·2	20·2	
Wellington and The Bogan	{ Wellington { The Bogan	10,484,774	acres.	10,463	169,842	16·2	21·1	12,722	180,519	14·1	16·0	
Monaro	{ Braidwood { Queanbeyan { Monaro	5,675,096	acres.	10,253	170,319	16·6	21·5	10,917	162,933	14·9	20·0	
The Murray River Valley	{ Albury { The Hume { The Murray	8,045,644	acres.	38,705	478,724	12·3	18·7	45,493	627,318	13·6	19·1	
Orange	{ Orange { Molong { Carcoar	3,297,279	acres.	45,045	807,511	17·9	21·9	52,294	873,866	16·7	19·2	
Gundagai	Gundagai	1,002,828	acres.	12,004	219,538	18·2	22·8	15,390	245,230	15·8	16·7	
Forbes	{ Forbes { Grenfell	10,089,267	acres.	5,858	66,201	11·3	19·2	9,285	140,737	15·1	12·2	
The Murrumbidgee	The Murrumbidgee	10,788,032	acres.	4,357	63,271	14·5	17·9	13,143	189,460	14·4	15·5	
Tamworth	Tamworth	2,457,600	acres.	11,750	195,789	16·6	26·3	14,275	229,367	16·0	25·3	
New England	New England	4,564,582	acres.	7,687	162,422	21·1	28·3	7,836	151,803	19·3	32·0	
The Namoi and Gwydir Valleys	{ The Namoi { The Gwydir { Gunnedah	17,175,960	acres.	3,226	73,734	22·7	22·7	3,436	53,843	15·7	14·2	
The North Coast	{ The Macleay { The Hastings and Manning { The Clarence and Richmond { Grafton { Gloucester	9,736,223	acres.	547	11,507	21·0	28·0	531	11,794	22·2	34·3	
Glen Innes	{ Glen Innes { Inverell { Tenterfield	6,311,117	acres.	8,771	182,976	20·8	24·1	8,321	161,270	19·6	29·4	
Young	Young	1,299,251	acres.	16,750	269,234	16·7	27·8	21,964	293,270	13·4	20·2	
The Hunter River Valley	{ Morpeth { Newcastle { Patrick's Plains { Durham { The Hunter { The Upper Hunter { East Maitland { West Maitland { Northumberland	4,941,030	acres.	8,058	65,601	8·0	14·2	8,288	127,644	15·4	24·0	
Bathurst	{ East Macquarie { West Macquarie	1,074,842	acres.	25,573	392,493	15·3	21·6	21,456	257,070	11·9	21·8	
Mudgee	Mudgee	2,274,918	acres.	9,851	215,899	21·0	21·5	12,163	172,196	14·1	19·8	
Tumut	Tumut	1,461,459	acres.	3,283	67,555	20·5	33·0	3,698	70,601	19·0	28·1	
The South Coast	{ Eden { Shoalhaven { Kiama { Illawarra	3,622,477	acres.	359	7,381	20·5	20·8	364	8,210	22·6	21·5	
Hawkesbury and Nepean Valleys	{ The Nepean { The Hawkesbury { Hartley { Wollombi { Camden	5,224,858	acres.	2,444	32,607	13·3	19·2	2,763	38,584	13·9	29·5	
The Western District	{ Bourke { Balranald { Wentworth	88,398,720	acres.	214	1,592	7·4	17·6	230	2,480	10·8	14·0	
The Metropolitan District	{ Sydney { Central Cumberland { Canterbury, &c.	505,993	acres.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Totals for whole Colony ..	....	acres.	247,348	4,042,395	16·3	..	289,753	4,345,437	14·9	...	

principal Wheat Growing Districts of New South Wales, for the five years March, 1887.

Year ended 31st March, 1885.				Year ended 31st March, 1886.				Year ended 31st March, 1887.				Districts.	
Area under Wheat,	Production, in bushels,	Average per Acre,	Total Rainfall, year 1884.	Area under Wheat,	Production, in bushels,	Average per Acre,	Total Rainfall, year 1885.	Area under Wheat,	Production in bushels,	Average per Acre,	Total Rainfall, year 1886.	Average Rainfall over Districts,	
acres. 9,289	158,966	17·1	16·0	5,661	53,942	9·5	22·7	7,787	147,294	18·9	26·9	25·8	Goulburn.
14,824	253,455	17·0	21·1	12,701	141,472	11·1	24·3	16,824	298,439	17·7	27·5	26·6	Yass.
12,700	219,140	17·2	20·3	11,153	71,236	6·4	20·9	20,170	328,256	16·2	30·9	19·0	Wellington and The Bogan.
10,922	181,639	16·6	17·7	7,072	81,197	11·4	19·4	9,892	167,662	17·0	27·7	22·7	Monaro.
45,792	441,786	9·6	15·9	50,097	607,028	12·1	20·5	54,240	776,944	14·4	19·3	21·7	The Murray River Valley.
47,890	752,676	15·7	15·0	45,564	430,091	9·9	17·7	59,721	1,694,411	18·3	33·3	19·0	Orange.
15,412	284,468	18·4	17·6	18,438	210,578	11·4	22·5	20,108	405,951	20·2	26·3	21·0	Gundagai.
8,156	109,562	13·4	8·2	7,775	62,126	7·9	16·8	11,558	238,433	20·5	23·7	15·5	Forbes.
11,799	169,818	14·4	12·0	19,793	159,058	8·0	16·4	26,204	518,695	19·9	16·3	15·4	The Murrumbidgee.
12,644	206,518	16·3	19·7	12,838	130,604	10·1	21·7	16,543	243,634	14·7	29·8	25·6	Tamworth.
7,486	150,928	20·1	23·8	6,201	95,461	15·4	26·1	7,047	120,989	17·1	33·1	29·8	New England.
3,617	57,402	15·9	19·6	4,114	35,024	8·7	16·6	5,485	76,072	13·9	33·3	23·9	The Namoi and Gwydir Valleys.
503	9,232	18·2	26·9	270	4,500	16·6	25·9	218	3,036	13·9	44·8	33·6	The North Coast.
9,465	194,179	20·5	20·7	8,241	158,897	19·2	27·1	8,789	121,623	13·8	39·9	26·5	Glen Innes.
18,978	332,310	17·5	21·1	21,582	215,092	9·9	24·3	28,609	550,843	19·2	29·9	26·6	Young.
7,750	121,332	15·6	18·3	6,499	54,414	8·4	26·5	8,326	139,832	16·8	35·4	19·0	The Hunter River Valley.
20,260	301,581	14·8	19·5	12,858	105,896	8·2	20·8	18,817	300,079	16·4	30·7	23·6	Bathurst.
11,586	209,941	18·1	19·8	10,125	63,874	6·3	24·5	12,749	242,450	19·0	31·1	24·6	Mudgee.
2,926	69,919	23·6	22·0	2,185	31,120	14·2	26·8	2,739	54,876	20·0	30·7	28·5	Tumut.
261	6,005	23·0	23·5	141	2,430	17·1	22·2	138	2,011	14·6	32·2	27·4	The South Coast.
2,797	39,047	13·2	24·2	1,333	17,051	12·8	23·1	1,597	26,135	16·3	28·9	33·2	Hawkesbury and Nepean Valleys.
159	1,500	9·4	11·2	220	1,207	5·5	20·8	166	2,004	12·6	15·1	8·4	The Western District.
....	...	...	...	....	....	...	...	....	....	...	...	....	The Metropolitan District.
275,225	4,271,394	15·5	...	264,861	2,733,133	10·4	...	337,730	5,868,844	17·3	...	...

No. 163.—Import, Export, and Growth of Breadstuffs for each year, from 1862

Year.	Imports.				Exports.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.
1862	293,460	733,650	446,640	1,180,290	115,980	289,950	15,441	305,391
1863	284,980	712,450	612,366	1,324,816	143,880	359,950	9,461	369,411
1864	472,265	1,180,662	1,163,914	2,344,576	161,200	403,000	18,682	421,682
1865	486,440	1,216,100	692,826	1,908,926	191,680	479,200	15,397	494,507
1866	596,640	1,491,600	1,093,081	2,584,681	232,533	581,332	71,890	653,222
1867	329,100	822,750	755,973	1,578,723	134,138	335,345	78,480	413,825
1868	404,840	1,012,100	609,011	1,621,111	149,188	372,970	12,974	385,944
1869	326,020	815,050	777,408	1,592,458	121,111	302,777	31,499	344,276
1870	387,900	969,750	569,638	1,539,388	100,375	250,937	22,914	273,851
1871	363,220	908,050	1,041,496	1,949,546	85,409	213,523	28,591	242,114
1872	336,280	840,700	631,299	1,471,999	71,160	177,900	94,680	272,580
1873	342,160	855,400	818,845	1,674,245	85,099	212,747	76,969	289,716
1874	347,880	869,700	740,019	1,609,719	85,415	213,537	27,901	241,438
1875	518,040	1,295,100	1,083,773	2,378,873	102,692	256,730	230,679	487,409
1876	479,860	1,199,650	918,005	2,117,655	70,471	176,177	48,775	224,952
1877	427,560	1,068,900	823,526	1,892,426	110,351	275,877	126,553	402,430
1878	663,480	1,658,700	780,604	2,439,304	90,920	227,300	66,116	293,416
1879	563,300	1,408,250	442,849	1,851,099	60,617	151,542	52,231	203,773
1880	743,000	1,857,500	422,473	2,279,973	101,470	253,675	121,853	375,528
1881	660,940	1,652,350	260,118	1,912,468	353,484	883,710	152,022	1,035,732
1882	979,720	2,449,300	698,518	3,147,818	333,380	833,450	68,677	992,127
1883	800,960	2,002,400	247,099	2,249,499	309,018	772,545	71,961	844,506
1884	890,360	2,225,900	469,785	2,695,685	320,088	800,220	51,351	851,571
1885	1,068,410	2,671,025	545,423	3,216,448	182,770	456,925	47,647	504,572
1886	1,229,840	3,074,600	1,105,079	4,179,679	153,596	383,990	120,306	504,296

The yield of wheat for the season 1886-87 amounted to 5·65 bushels per head,

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to 1886; also, Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Production.

Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.			Balance available for Food.	Total available for Food.	Consumption of Wheat per Head.	Home Produce per Head.	Deficiency.	Year.
	Acreage.	For Seed.	Wheat Crop.						
bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
874,899	123,468	154,335	1,606,084	1,451,749	2,326,648	6·5	4·0	2·5	1862
955,405	108,137	135,171	1,054,954	919,783	1,875,188	5·0	2·4	2·6	1863
1,922,894	103,942	129,927	808,919	678,992	2,601,886	6·7	1·7	5·0	1864
1,414,419	104,568	130,710	1,246,451	1,115,741	2,530,160	6·3	2·8	3·5	1865
1,931,459	131,653	164,566	1,013,863	849,297	2,780,756	6·6	2·0	4·6	1866
1,164,898	175,033	218,791	2,226,027	2,007,236	3,172,134	7·2	4·6	2·6	1867
1,235,167	149,142	186,427	1,433,807	1,247,380	2,482,547	5·4	2·7	2·7	1868
1,258,182	164,206	205,257	1,887,085	1,681,828	2,940,010	6·2	3·5	2·7	1869
1,265,537	189,452	236,815	3,200,959	2,964,144	4,229,681	8·6	6·0	2·6	1870
1,707,432	147,977	184,971	999,595	814,624	2,522,056	4·9	1·6	3·3	1871
1,199,419	154,030	192,537	2,229,642	2,037,105	3,236,524	6·1	3·8	2·3	1872
1,384,529	177,551	221,938	2,898,463	2,676,525	4,061,054	7·4	4·9	2·5	1873
1,368,281	169,330	211,662	2,273,260	2,061,598	3,429,879	6·0	3·6	2·4	1874
1,891,464	166,911	208,638	2,148,394	1,939,756	3,831,220	6·5	3·3	3·2	1875
1,892,703	133,609	167,011	1,958,640	1,791,629	3,684,332	6·0	2·9	3·1	1876
1,489,996	145,608	182,010	2,391,979	2,209,969	3,699,965	5·8	3·5	2·3	1877
2,145,888	176,686	220,857	2,445,507	2,224,650	4,370,538	6·6	3·3	3·3	1878
1,647,326	233,252	291,565	3,439,326	3,147,761	4,795,087	6·9	4·5	2·4	1879
1,904,445	233,368	291,710	3,613,266	3,321,556	5,226,000	7·1	4·5	2·6	1880
876,736	253,137	316,421	3,717,315	3,400,934	4,277,670	5·6	4·4	1·2	1881
2,245,691	222,478	278,097	3,414,558	3,136,461	5,382,152	6·7	3·9	2·8	1882
1,404,993	247,348	309,185	4,042,356	3,733,171	5,138,164	6·1	4·4	1·7	1883
1,844,114	289,753	362,191	4,345,437	3,983,246	5,827,360	6·6	4·5	2·1	1884
2,711,876	275,225	344,031	4,271,304	3,927,273	6,639,149	7·1	4·2	2·9	1885
3,675,383	264,861	331,076	2,733,133	2,402,057	6,077,440	6·2	2·9	3·3	1886

the probable deficiency for the year will be about 1·25 bushels per head.

FLOUR.

No. 164.—Average Yearly Import, Export, and Production of Breadstuffs, years 1862–86 (in

Period of which an Average has been taken.	Imports.				Exports.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
	Cwt.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Cwt.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.
1862–66	426,757	1,066,892	801,765	1,868,658	169,074	422,686	26,156	448,842
1867–71	362,216	905,540	750,705	1,656,245	118,044	295,110	34,891	330,002
1872–76	404,844	1,012,110	838,388	1,850,498	82,967	207,418	95,801	313,219
1877–81	611,656	1,529,140	545,914	2,075,054	143,368	358,421	103,755	462,173
1882–86	993,857	2,484,645	613,180	3,097,825	259,771	649,427	71,988	721,415

No. 165.—Consumption of Breadstuffs, Amount of Flour Imported and Manufactured in the Colony, and Percentage of Home Manufacture to Total Consumption, during the period 1862–86.

Period.	Total Consumption of Flour, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour imported for Home Consump- tion, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour manufactured in the Colony, in equivalent of Wheat.	Percentage of Flour manufactured in Colony to whole Consumption.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
1862–66	2,422,928	644,206	1,788,722	73·5
1867–71	3,399,288	610,429	2,788,759	83·2
1872–76	3,951,820	804,692	3,147,128	79·6
1877–81	4,836,028	1,463,399	3,372,629	69·7
1882–86	5,812,836	1,835,218	3,977,618	68·5

The above figures denote the yearly average for each period.

with Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Produce, for the quinquennial periods).

Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.				Total available for Food.	Con- sumption of Wheat per head.	Home Produce per head.	De- ficiency per head.	Period of which an Average has been taken.
	Acreage under Crop.	Wheat required for Seed.	Wheat Crop.	Balance available for Food.					
Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	
Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Per annum.	Per annum.	Per annum.	
1,419,815	114,353	342,942	1,146,054	1,003,112	2,422,927	6·2	2·5	3·7	1862-66
1,326,243	165,162	206,452	1,949,494	1,743,042	3,069,285	6·4	3·6	2·8	1867-71
1,547,279	160,286	200,357	2,301,679	2,101,322	3,648,602	6·4	3·7	2·7	1872-76
1,612,878	208,410	260,512	3,121,486	2,860,974	4,473,852	6·4	4·0	2·4	1877-81
2,376,411	259,933	324,916	3,761,358	3,436,425	5,812,836	6·5	4·0	2·5	1882-86
			General average for the 25 years...				6·4	3·6	2·5

No. 166.—Value of Breadstuffs Imported and Exported from 1877 to 1886, with the Excess of Imports during each year.

	Year.						Total Imports. £	Total Exports. £	Excess of Imports. £
	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882			
1877	610,367	127,921	482,446
1878	624,842	77,518	547,324
1879	421,152	53,537	367,615
1880	486,374	83,251	403,123
1881	447,093	238,751	208,342
1882	836,074	248,039	588,035
1883	539,164	210,412	328,752
1884	606,122	186,677	419,445
1885	619,862	121,364	498,498
1886	869,657	106,341	763,316

MAIZE.

No. 167.—Comparative Statement showing the Production of Maize in the

Districts.	Electorates.	Year ended 31st March, 1883.			Year ended 31st March, 1884.		
		Area under Maize.	Production.	Aver- age per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Aver- age per Acre.
Tamworth and New England.	Tamworth and New England.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.
	The Macleay ...	2,993	65,487	21·8	2,315	43,969	18·9
	The Hastings and Manning.	18,260	911,019	49·9	19,193	996,655	51·9
The North Coast ...	The Clarence ...	16,823	604,136	35·9	17,469	709,574	40·6
	The Richmond ...	9,646	481,652	49·9	10,727	388,934	36·2
	Grafton ...	5,754	210,034	36·5	6,667	256,361	38·4
	Gloucester ...	7,223	231,667	32·0	7,503	316,760	42·2
Glen Innes ...	Glen Innes ...	1,981	57,676	29·1	2,327	76,874	33·0
	Tenterfield ...	5,527	137,570	24·9	5,232	119,492	22·8
	Inverell ...						
The Hunter River Valley.	Morpeth ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Patrick's Plains ...						
	Durham ...	11,179	314,059	28·0	13,680	452,172	33·0
	The Hunter ...						
	The Upper Hunter East & West Maitland						
Mudgee ...	Mudgee ...	1,694	30,013	17·7	2,119	41,870	19·7
Tumut ...	Tumut ...	2,013	67,600	33·5	1,512	48,285	31·9
The South Coast ...	Eden ...						
	Shoalhaven ...						
	Kiama ...	13,481	469,508	34·8	13,955	474,461	34·0
	Illawarra ...						
The Hawkesbury and the Nepean Rivers Valleys.	The Hawkesbury ...						
	The Nepean ...						
	Hartley ...	13,408	306,986	22·9	14,900	517,904	34·7
	Wollombi ...						
	Camden ...						
Other Districts of the Colony where maize is not grown in large quantities ...	...	8,198	169,628	20·7	6,035	95,293	15·7
General Totals and Averages ...	...	118,180	4,057,635	34·3	123,634	4,538,604	36·7

Colony of New South Wales, for the five years ended 31st March, 1887.

Year ended 31st March, 1885.			Year ended 31st March, 1886.			Year ended 31st March, 1887.			Districts.
Area under Maize.	Production.	Aver- age per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Aver- age per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Aver- age per Acre.	
acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	
1,555	28,486	18·3	2,937	55,959	19·0	3,117	56,215	18·0	Tamworth and New England.
21,265	918,250	43·1	21,261	919,112	43·2	23,222	804,299	34·6	
14,357	394,820	27·5	17,489	593,882	33·9	17,123	542,506	31·6	
10,973	421,645	38·4	14,212	478,521	33·6	15,147	316,758	20·9	The North Coast.
8,151	222,188	27·2	9,617	288,060	30·0	11,724	288,579	25·8	
8,903	254,950	28·6	9,850	309,011	31·3	10,729	195,186	18·1	
2,368	45,410	19·1	2,511	74,804	29·7	2,635	80,688	30·6	
4,428	84,239	19·0	5,735	138,115	23·8	6,541	126,404	19·3	Glen Innes.
9,788	212,726	21·7	12,278	366,053	29·8	11,777	322,584	27·4	The Hunter River Valley.
2,403	42,363	17·6	2,633	59,901	22·8	3,608	80,745	20·6	Mudgee.
2,229	69,340	31·1	2,550	113,655	44·5	2,642	94,175	35·6	Tumut.
11,184	349,813	31·2	11,710	392,374	33·5	11,875	268,874	22·6	The South Coast.
13,234	287,602	21·7	13,646	451,714	33·1	13,444	398,318	29·6	The Hawkesbury and the Nepean Rivers Valleys.
4,762	57,673	12·1	6,280	95,002	15·1	13,933	248,815	17·9	Other Districts, &c.
115,600	3,389,505	29·3	132,709	4,336,163	32·6	146,957	3,825,146	26·02	General Totals, &c.

No. 168.—Quantity and Estimated Value of Minerals obtained in the Colony during the years 1885–86.

Minerals.	1885.		1886.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
	oz.	£	oz.	£	£	£
Gold	103,736·36	378,665	101,416·80	366,294	.....	12,371
Silver	794,173·80	159,187	1,015,433·50	197,544	38,357	.....
	tons.		tons.			
Coal	2,878,863·23	1,340,213	2,830,175·00	1,303,164	.....	37,049
Shale	27,462·00	67,239	43,563·00	99,976	32,737	.....
Tin	5,192·80	415,626	4,967·80	467,653	52,027	.....
Copper	5,746·00	264,920	4,026·80	167,665	.....	97,255
Iron	4,175·79	25,793	3,685·87	19,068	.....	6,725
Antimony	292·75	4,296	273·15	3,381	.....	915
Bismuth	14·17	3,700	20·90	3,870	170	.....
Sundry Minerals ...	456·76	7,820	69·22	5,327	.....	2,493
Silver Lead Ore ...	2,286·20	107,626	4,802·10	294,485	186,859	.....
Asbestos	6·00	90	.....	.....	.....	90
Total Value ...	.....	2,775,175	.....	2,928,427	153,252	.....

No. 169.—Estimated Value of Minerals obtained in the Colony to the close of the year 1886.

		£
Gold ... ... ...	...	36,469,138
Silver and Silver Lead	...	1,231,939
Tin ... ... ...	...	7,402,456
Copper ... ... ...	...	4,964,250
Iron ... ... ...	...	250,922
Coal ... ... ...	...	18,352,669
Shale ... ... ...	...	995,413
Sundry Minerals ...	...	105,400
		<hr/> £69,772,187

No. 170.—Estimated Value of Mineral Products obtained in the Colony during the years 1876–86.

Year.	Gold.	Silver.	Silver and Lead.	Tin.	Copper.	Iron.	Coal.	Shale.	Antimony.	Bismuth.	Sundry Minerals.	Total Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876	... 613,190	15,456	1,392	439,638	249,978	13,399	803,300	47,994	140	.....	.....	2,184,487
1877	... 471,418	6,673	325	508,540	324,226	7,600	858,998	46,524	1,131	.....	7,725	2,233,160
1878	... 430,033	13,291	258	395,822	345,158	6,666	920,936	57,211	1,964	.....	1,082	2,172,421
1879	... 407,219	18,071	535	372,349	257,352	10,550	950,879	66,930	1,046	.....	525	2,085,456
1880	... 441,543	21,878	890	471,337	364,059	15,335	615,337	44,725	1,652	.....	1,118	1,977,874
1881	... 566,513	13,026	1,625	724,003	355,062	47,871	603,248	40,748	17,346	2,728	1,020	2,373,190
1882	... 526,521	9,024	360	833,461	324,727	37,224	948,965	84,114	16,732	162	1,054	2,782,344
1883	... 458,509	16,488	2,075	824,552	577,201	26,908	1,201,942	90,861	5,555	650	160	3,204,901
1884	... 395,292	19,780	241,940	521,587	416,179	24,572	1,303,077	72,176	6,458	2,770	.....	3,003,831
1885	... 378,665	159,187	107,626	415,626	264,920	25,793	1,340,213	67,239	4,296	3,700	7,910	2,775,175
1886	... 366,294	197,544	294,485	467,653	167,665	19,068	1,303,164	99,976	3,381	3,870	5,327	2,928,427
	5,055,197	490,418	651,511	5,974,568	3,646,527	234,986	10,850,059	718,498	59,701	13,880	25,921	27,797,734

GOLD AND TIN.

No. 171.—Quantity and Value of Gold, the Produce of the Colony, Coined or Exported, to the close of the year 1866.*

Year.	Weight.	Value.	Year.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£		oz.	£
1851	144,120·88	468,336	1870	240,401·86	916,409
1852	818,751·93	2,660,946	1871	321,468·70	1,232,011
1853	548,052·99	1,781,172	1872	424,100·23	1,634,821
1854	237,910·70	773,209	1873	360,849·97	1,389,705
1855	170,145·73	613,148	1874	270,710·12	1,038,844
1856	183,946·36	666,155	1875	229,385·55	881,480
1857	161,043·26	616,712	1876	155,166·37	581,689
1858	280,557·93	1,082,865	1877	122,619·24	463,130
1859	323,984·02	1,237,662	1878	117,977·88	423,184
1860	381,613·96	1,445,158	1879	107,640·38	399,187
1861	459,879·26	1,771,855	1880	116,750·52	434,641
1862	616,909·71	2,360,383	1881	145,532·05	550,111
1863	467,399·05	1,791,534	1882	129,233·28	491,594
1864	341,954·12	1,304,735	1883	122,256·58	452,611
1865	364,540·63	1,390,803	1884	105,933·43	390,229
1866	287,534·29	1,103,246	1885	100,667·16	366,388
1867	269,407·35	1,043,458	1886	98,446·27	355,600
1868	258,773·41	1,003,002			
1869	252,130·14	967,625			
				9,737,805·31	36,083,538

* For other information respecting Gold see Part V.

No. 172.—Quantity and Value of Tin, the Produce of the Colony, Exported since the opening of the Tin-fields in 1872.

Year.	Ingots.		Ore.		Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	tons cwt.	£	tons cwt.	£	£
1872	47 o	6,482	849 o	41,337	47,819
1873	911 o	107,795	3,660 o	226,641	334,436
1874	4,101 o	366,189	2,188 o	118,133	484,322
1875	6,058 o	475,168	2,022 o	86,143	561,311
1876	5,449 o	379,318	1,509 o	60,320	439,638
1877	7,230 o	477,952	824 o	30,588	508,540
1878	6,085 o	362,072	1,125 o	33,750	395,822
1879	5,107 2	343,075	813 15	29,274	372,349
1880	5,476 6	440,615	682 6	30,722	471,337
1881	7,590 17½	686,511	609 6	37,492	724,003
1882	8,059 o	800,571	611 o	32,890	833,461
1883	8,680 1	802,867	445 4	21,685	824,552
1884	6,315 16	506,726	349 13	14,861	521,587
1885	4,657 18	390,458	534 18	25,168	415,626
1886	4,640 18	449,303	326 18	18,350	467,653
	80,408 18½	6,595,102	16,480 o	807,354	7,402,456

No. 173.—Quantity and Value of Copper, the Produce of the Colony, Exported during each year, from 1858 to 1886.

Year.	Ingots.		Ore and Regulus.		Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
1858	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	£
1858 ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	58	1,400	1,400
1859	30	578	.....	.....	578
1860 ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	43	1,535	1,535
1861 ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	144	3,390	3,390
1862 ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	213	5,742	5,742
1863	23	1,680	114	420	2,100
1864	54	5,230	.....	.....	5,230
1865	247	15,820	22	545	16,365
1866	255	18,905	23	1,885	20,790
1867	393	30,189	.....	5	30,194
1868	644	23,297	172	4,000	27,297
1869	1,980	74,605	104	2,070	76,675
1870	994	65,671	6	60	65,731
1871	1,350	87,579	94	1,297	88,876
1872	1,035	92,736	417	13,152	105,888
1873	2,795	237,412	51	1,690	239,102
1874	3,638	311,519	522	13,621	325,140
1875	3,520	297,334	157	4,356	301,690
1876	3,106	243,142	169	6,836	249,978
1877	4,153	307,181	360	17,045	324,226
1878	4,983	337,409	236	7,749	345,158
1879	4,107	256,437	36	915	257,352
1880	5,263	359,260	132	4,799	364,059
1881	5,361	350,087	133	4,975	355,062
1882	4,865	321,887	93	2,840	324,727
1883	8,873	574,497	84	2,704	577,201
1884	7,286	415,601	19	578	416,179
1885	5,745	264,905	1	15	264,920
1886	3,969	166,429	56	1,112	167,541
Total	74,669	4,859,390	3,459	104,736	4,964,126

COAL.

No. 174.—Estimated Quantity and Value of Coal raised in the Colony to the close of the year 1886, and average Price per Ton.

Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.	Value.
	Tons.	s. d.	£		Tons.	s. d.	£
Prior to 1829	50,000	10 0	25,000	1858 ...	216,397	14 11'84	162,162
1829 ...	780	10 1'23	394	1859 ...	308,213	13 3'14	204,371
1830 ...	4,000	9 0'00	1,800	1860 ...	368,862	12 3'36	226,493
1831 ...	5,000	8 0'00	2,000	1861 ...	342,067	12 9'52	218,820
1832 ...	7,143	7 0'00	2,502	1862 ...	476,522	12 9'73	305,234
1833 ...	6,812	7 6'73	2,575	1863 ...	433,889	10 10'66	236,230
1834 ...	8,490	8 10'00	3,750	1864 ...	549,012	9 10'10	270,171
1835 ...	12,392	8 10'19	5,483	1865 ...	585,525	9 4'43	274,303
1836 ...	12,646	9 1'06	5,747	1866 ...	774,238	8 4'44	324,049
1837 ...	16,083	9 8 81	5,828	1867 ...	770,012	8 10'79	342,655
1838 ...	17,220	9 9'05	8,399	1868 ...	954,231	8 9'08	417,809
1839 ...	21,283	9 9'73	10,441	1869 ...	919,774	7 6'32	346,146
1840 ...	30,256	10 10'86	16,498	1870 ...	868,564	7 3'54	316,836
1841 ...	34,841	12 0'00	20,905	1871 ...	898,784	7 0'47	316,340
1842 ...	39,900	12 0'00	23,940	1872 ...	1,012,426	7 9'92	396,198
1843 ...	25,862	12 6'54	16,222	1873 ...	1,192,862	11 1'94	665,747
1844 ...	23,118	10 8'34	12,363	1874 ...	1,304,612	12 1'37	790 224
1845 ...	22,324	7 10'27	8,769	1875 ...	1,329,729	12 3'89	819,430
1846 ...	38,965	7 0'46	13,714	1876 ...	1,319,918	12 2'06	803,390
1847 ...	40,732	6 9'01	13,750	1877 ...	1,444,271	11 10'74	858,998
1848 ...	45,447	6 3'38	14,275	1878 ...	1,575,497	11 8 28	920,936
1849 ...	48,516	6 0'45	14,647	1879 ...	1,583,381	12 0'12	950,879
1850 ...	71,216	6 6'77	23,375	1880 ...	1,466,180	8 6'36	615 337
1851 ...	67,610	7 6'51	25,456	1881 ...	1,769,597	6 9'55	603,248
1852 ...	67,404	10 11'33	36,885	1882 ...	2,109,282	8 11'97	948,965
1853 ...	96,809	16 1'51	78,059	1883 ...	2,521,457	9 6'40	1,201,941
1854 ...	116,642	0 5'63	119,380	1884 ...	2,749,109	9 5'71	1,303,077
1855 ...	137,076	12 11'96	89,082	1885 ...	2,878,863	9 3'72	1,340,212
1856 ...	189,960	12 4'06	117,906	1886 ...	2,830,175	9 2'50	1,303,164
1857 ...	210,434	14 0'97	148,158	Total	37,022,410	9 10'97	18,352,669

No. 175.—Quantity and Value of Kerosene Shale Produced yearly during the period 1865–1886.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.	Total Value.
	Tons.	£ s. d.	£		Tons.	£ s. d.	£
1865	... 570	4 2 5·47	2,350	1877 ...	18,963	2 9 0·81	46,524
1866	... 2,770	2 18 10·48	8,150	1878 ...	24,371	2 6 11·40	57,211
1867	... 4,079	3 14 9·21	15,249	1879 ...	32,519	2 1 1·96	66,931
1868	... 16,952	2 17 7·11	48,816	1880 ...	19,201	2 6 7·03	44,725
1869	... 7,500	2 10 0·00	18,750	1881 ...	27,894	1 9 2·59	40,748
1870	... 8,580	3 4 3·18	27,570	1882 ...	48,065	1 15 0·00	84,114
1871	... 14,700	2 6 3·91	34,050	1883 ...	49,250	1 16 10·77	90,861
1872	... 11,040	2 11 11·91	28,700	1884 ...	31,618	2 5 7·86	72,176
1873	... 17,850	2 16 6·55	50,745	1885 ...	27,462	2 8 11·62	67,239
1874	... 12,100	2 5 1·48	27,300	1886 ...	43,563	2 5 10·79	99,976
1875	... 6,197	2 10 2·22	15,500				
1876	... 15,998	3 0 0·00	47,994	Total...	441,242	2 5 1·42	995,413

No. 176.—Approximate Number of Persons engaged Mining for Gold, Silver, Copper, Tin, Iron, Coal, and Shale, during the years 1881–86.

Persons engaged Mining for—	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Gold	9,056	9,215	6,750	6,548	5,911	6,767
Silver and Silver Lead ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	929	1,297
Copper	1,177	1,442	1,913	1,746	1,000	622
Tin	4,530	5,146	4,100	2,850	3,395	2,814
Iron ... ... ... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	120
Coal	4,297	4,647	5,481	6,227	7,097	7,847
Shale	231	317	293	116	324	100
Total	19,291	20,767	18,537	17,487	18,836	19,567

No. 177.—Approximate Number of Horses, Horned Cattle, Sheep, and Pigs, in the various Electoral Districts on the 31st March, 1887.

Electorate.						Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
METROPOLITAN.									
Balmain ...	...	...	...	...	...	960	871	5,175	469
Canterbury	...	...	...	...	...	3,401	2,424	167	2,255
Glebe ...	...	...	...	...	...	864	159	23	7
Newtown	...	...	...	...	...	1,276	265	.....	2
Paddington	...	...	...	...	...	1,409	958	16	195
Redfern ...	...	...	...	...	...	3,150	1,164	14	1,044
St. Leonards	...	...	...	...	...	1,013	927	258	557
East Sydney	...	...	...	...	...	1,566	165	.....	.....
South Sydney	...	...	...	...	...	1,298	72	.....	.....
West Sydney	...	...	...	...	...	1,801	126	.....	21
Total Metropolitan	...	...				16,738	7,131	5,653	4,550
COUNTRY.									
Albury ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,875	4,909	53,596	1,236
Argyle ...	...	...	...	...	...	7,655	26,803	333,107	4,071
Balranald	...	...	...	...	...	7,927	9,910	3,282,823	945
Bogong ...	...	...	...	...	...	10,723	31,974	2,872,725	3,073
Boorowa ...	...	...	...	...	...	2,496	4,519	341,255	3,058
Bourke ...	...	...	...	...	...	11,771	43,083	4,408,445	1,045
Braidwood	...	...	...	...	...	3,733	23,910	43,304	1,384
Camden ...	...	...	...	...	...	7,981	38,869	17,089	6,938
Carcoar ...	...	...	...	...	...	7,166	11,755	551,652	4,725
Clarence ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,320	13,361	216	3,067
Central Cumberland	...	...	...	...	...	4,019	4,792	2,163	2,408
Durham ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,298	24,451	1,549	7,202
Eden ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,773	45,921	3,543	10,125
Forbes ...	...	...	...	...	...	3,571	8,773	1,292,545	1,447
Glen Innes	...	...	...	...	...	4,729	45,751	303,987	1,743
Gloucester	...	...	...	...	...	2,636	28,641	893	4,480
Goulburn	...	...	...	...	...	265	248	18	213
Grafton ...	...	...	...	...	...	6,027	32,472	1,941	3,814
Grenfell ...	...	...	...	...	...	4,053	10,163	1,048,380	1,639
Gundagai	...	...	...	...	...	6,985	17,403	647,885	3,526
Gunnedah	...	...	...	...	...	5,646	20,634	1,117,755	1,818
Gwydir ...	...	...	...	...	...	10,876	54,763	1,438,878	1,696
Hartley ...	...	...	...	...	...	2,784	7,140	63,148	1,802

No. 177—*continued.*

Electorate.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
COUNTRY— <i>continued.</i>				
Hastings and Manning...	7,858	30,289	2,720	17,684
Hawkesbury ...	4,357	6,733	2,293	4,130
Hume ...	10,107	23,468	1,479,573	3,960
Hunter ...	3,194	10,099	4,243	2,375
Upper Hunter ...	12,161	55,024	808,296	3,281
Illawarra ...	2,020	12,769	689	3,841
Inverell ...	5,067	20,264	377,790	2,218
Kiama ...	2,435	21,941	387	7,130
Macleay ...	6,325	22,327	605	7,613
East Macquarie...	3,839	9,040	133,243	1,903
West Macquarie ...	2,676	5,162	103,115	1,442
East Maitland ...	1,371	2,874	313	1,078
West Maitland ...	205	131	.....	112
Molong ...	5,889	8,694	342,201	3,490
Monaro ...	10,053	30,592	879,336	2,171
Morpeth...	3,052	4,488	819	1,804
Mudgee ...	8,040	18,721	329,458	4,770
Murray ...	6,579	8,447	1,996,871	1,721
Murrumbidgee ...	14,137	23,046	3,555,637	5,401
Namoi ...	5,752	17,902	1,296,923	1,816
Nepean ...	3,258	5,269	3,530	1,264
Newcastle ...	417	773	50	443
New England ...	8,679	51,992	1,638,253	3,436
Northumberland ...	1,473	2,173	641	1,369
Orange ...	4,083	6,714	82,319	2,496
Parramatta ...	470	275	105	149
Patrick's Plains...	6,009	48,250	70,389	4,821
Queanbeyan ...	3,696	11,679	383,445	1,502
Richmond ...	12,060	116,841	1,109	7,024
Shoalhaven ...	5,245	40,131	7,418	11,757
Tamworth ...	6,613	31,371	628,390	3,493
Tenterfield ...	3,429	41,094	71,378	1,638
Tumut ...	5,095	23,139	208,259	3,089
Wellington ...	3,080	2,657	273,657	2,251
Wentworth ...	8,880	17,399	3,929,070	1,020
Wollombi ...	3,074	8,119	614	3,922
Yass Plains ...	5,057	10,383	453,806	2,479
Young ...	5,239	10,544	628,677	3,478

NOTE.—For total stock for 1886 and previous years see Table No. 178.

LIVE STOCK.

No. 178.—Number of Live Stock in the Colony at the close of each year, from 1860 to 1886.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
1860	251,497	2,408,586	6,119,163	180,662	1874	346,691	2,856,699	22,797,416	219,958
1861	233,220	2,271,923	5,615,054	146,091	1875	357,696	3,134,086	25,353,924	199,950
1862	273,389	2,620,383	6,145,651	125,541	1876	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604
1863	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	135,899	1877	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677
1864	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154	1878	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320
1865	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901	1879	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026
1866	278,437	1,771,809	11,562,155	137,915	1880	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205
1867	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	173,168	1881	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916
1868	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901	1882	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815
1869	280,304	1,795,904	14,989,923	175,924	1883	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050
1870	337,597	2,195,096	16,308,585	243,066	1884	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656
1871	304,100	2,014,888	16,278,697	213,193	1885	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697
1872	328,408	2,287,660	17,566,048	218,904	1886	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576
1873	334,462	2,794,327	18,990,595	240,680					

No. 179.—Estimated Value of Stock and Approximate Value of Return from Stock in New South Wales.

NOTE.—Dairy produce not included. The above figures are the net values.

No. 180.—Stock Slaughtered at the Glebe Island Abattoirs during the year 1886.

PART VII.—EDUCATION, RELIGION, AND CHARITIES.

No. 181.—Enrolment and Attendance of Children at State Schools—1880–86.

Year.							Gross Enrolment.	Quarterly Enrolment.	Average Attendance.
1880	...	...	...	...	...	...	*	111,277	72,969
1881	...	...	...	...	...	...	146,106	125,506	82,890
1882	...	...	...	...	...	...	166,611	134,872	90,944
1883	...	...	...	...	...	...	155,918	130,205	88,546
1884	...	...	...	...	...	...	167,134	139,159	95,215
1885	...	...	...	...	...	...	180,929	146,570	100,462
1886	...	...	...	...	...	...	186,126	153,244	105,538

* Not ascertained.

No. 182.—Total Cost and Cost per Head of Children at State Schools, for the years 1880–86.

Year.	Total Expenditure.	Receipts from School Fees.	Net Cost to State.	Cost to State per Child of Average Attendance.	Total Cost per Child of Average Attendance.	Amount of Fees received per Child of Average Attendance.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1880	...	409,281	56,801	352,480	4 16 7	5 12 2
1881	...	480,000	46,347	433,653	5 4 7	5 15 9
1882	...	618,800	51,312	567,488	6 4 9	6 16 1
1883	...	821,853	51,427	770,426	8 14 0	9 5 7
1884	...	774,357	56,767	717,590	7 10 8	8 2 7
1885	...	663,508	58,926	604,582	6 0 4	6 12 1
1886	...	654,411	63,165	591,246	5 12 0	6 4 0

No. 183.—Number of Teachers and Scholars, during the year 1886, in the Public and Private Schools of the Colony.

		Number of Schools.				Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Rolls.		
		Male.	Female.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.]	Male.	Female.	Total.
SCHOOLS UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.	Public Schools...	...	...	.....	1,587	1,587					
	Provisional Schools	...	...	.....	328	328					
	Half-time Schools	...	...	.....	169	169					
	House-to-house Schools	...	...	.....	58	58					
	Evening Schools	...	...	.....	20	20					
	High Schools ...	...	...	4	4	8					
Total...		...	...	4	4	2,162	2,170	1,869	1,887	3,756	96,786
REFORMATORIES AND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.	Nautical School, Vernon	...	...	1	.....	1	15	.....	15	205	205
	Industrial School for Girls, Biloela	...	...	1	.....	1	1	1	1	89	90
	Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls	...	...	1	.....	1	1	1	.....	24	24
	Total...	...	...	1	2	3	15	2	17	206	113
CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS— SCHOOLS.	Asylum for Destitute Children, Randwick	...	...	.....	1	1	3	2	5	157	97
	Deaf and Dumb and Blind	...	...	.....	1	1	2	5	7	46	29
	Ragged Schools—Kent-street	...	...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2	59	39
	Harrington-street	...	...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2	79	64
	Glebe.....	...	...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2	38	39
	Waterloo .....	...	...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2	50	76
	Total .....	.....	.....	6	6	5	15	20	429	344	773

No. 183—*continued.*

		Number of Schools.				Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Rolls.		
		Male.	Female.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
ORPHAN SCHOOLS*	Protestant ...	.....	.....	I	I	I	.....	I	33	II	44
	Roman Catholic ...	.....	.....	I	I	.....	2	2	45	18	63
	Total .....	.....	.....	2	2	I	2	3	78	29	107
UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGES.	University of Sydney	I	.....	.....	I	30	.....	30	340	.....	340
	St. Paul's College	I	.....	.....	I	2	.....	2	23†	.....	23†
	St. John's College	I	.....	.....	I	3	.....	3	8†	.....	8†
	St. Andrew's College	I	.....	.....	I	2	.....	2	20†	.....	20†
	Sydney Grammar School	I	.....	.....	I	18	.....	18	429	.....	429
	Total	5	.....	.....	5	55	.....	55	769	.....	769
PRIVATE SCHOOLS	Undenominational	34	63	273	370	131	623	754	3,839	6,304	10,143
	Church of England	II	7	38	56	50	93	143	1,794	1,579	3,373
	Roman Catholic	26	27	162	215	148	748	896	11,222	13,798	25,020
	Wesleyan .....	.....	I	.....	I	I	4	5	.....	46	46
	Presbyterian	2	.....	I	3	7	I	8	83	16	99
	Lutheran .....	.....	.....	2	2	I	I	2	49	36	85
	Total	73	98	476	647	338	1,470	1,808	16,987	21,779	38,766
	General Total all Schools, &c...	83	104	2,646	2,833	2,283	3,376	5,659	115,255	111,605	226,860

* Closed 30th September, 1886.

† Included in University, and omitted from general total.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

No. 184.—Number of Private Schools, also Teachers and Scholars, for the year 1886.

Religion.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars on Roll.			Average Attendance of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England...	56	50	93	143	1,794	1,579	3,373	1,662	1,346	3,008
Roman Catholic ...	215	148	748	896	11,222	13,798	25,020	9,533	11,766	21,279
Wesleyan Methodist ..	1	1	4	5	.....	46	46	.....	41	41
Presbyterian	3	7	1	8	83	16	99	70	16	86
German Lutheran ...	2	1	1	2	49	36	85	38	31	69
Undenominational ...	370	131	623	754	3,839	6,304	10,143	3,392	5,673	9,065
Total	647	338	1,470	1,808	16,987	21,779	38,766	14,697	18,873	33,570

No. 185.—Number of Public and Private Schools, also Teachers and Scholars, 1876–86.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1876 ...	1,629	1,267	1,382	2,649	68,802	62,818	131,620
1877 ...	1,695	1,260	1,528	2,788	72,213	66,054	138,267
1878 ...	1,744	1,345	1,583	2,928	77,233	71,555	148,788
1879 ...	1,819	1,416	1,714	3,130	80,575	74,715	155,290
1880 ...	1,910	1,518	1,875	3,393	86,962	82,479	169,441
1881 ...	2,066	1,655	2,117	3,772	101,450	95,962	197,412
1882 ...	2,161	1,799	2,355	4,154	107,957	103,080	211,037
1883 ...	2,315	1,904	2,639	4,543	96,459	93,524	189,983
1884 ...	2,535	2,042	2,818	4,860	103,072	99,447	202,519
1885 ...	2,666	2,165	3,102	5,267	110,662	107,570	218,232
1886 ...	2,833	2,283	3,376	5,659	115,255	111,605	226,860

No. 186.—Sydney University: Degrees Conferred since Foundation.

Year.	B.A.	M.A.	M.B.	M.D.	LL.B.	LL.D.	B.Sc.	B.E.	Total.
1856 ...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
1857 ...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1858 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1859 ...	8	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
1860 ...	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
1861 ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1862 ...	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
1863 ...	16	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
1864 ...	5	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	13
1865 ...	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1866 ...	13	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	17
1867 ...	9	2	1	...	1	2	...	...	15
1868 ...	11	4	...	3	2	...	...	...	20
1869 ...	11	7	...	...	3	...	...	...	21
1870 ...	12	9	4	...	...	2	...	...	27
1871 ...	9	7	2	...	3	...	...	...	21
1872 ...	11	7	...	3	1	...	...	...	22
1873 ...	10	6	1	1	1	3	...	...	22
1874 ...	14	6	2	2	...	1	...	...	25
1875 ...	7	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	19
1876 ...	11	17	1	...	...	...	...	...	29
1877 ...	12	6	...	2	...	2	...	...	22
1878 ...	11	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	20
1879 ...	17	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1880 ...	23	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1881 ...	10	8	1	2	1	...	...	...	22
1882 ...	19	20	...	9	1	2	...	...	51
1883 ...	21	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
1884 ...	22	14	...	1	1	1	...	...	39
1885 ...	25	8	...	...	2	2	2	3	42
1886 ...	20	8	1	2	...	1	...	2	34
Total	363	198	14	26	20	19	2	5	647

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY.

No. 187.—Sydney University: Number of Students and Results of Public Examinations—1876–86.

Year.	Number of Students qualified for Matriculation.	Number of Students attending Lectures.	Public Examinations.			
			Number of Seniors who came up.	Number of Juniors who came up.	Number of Seniors who passed.	Number of Juniors who passed.
1876	34	58	53	356	40
1877	23	61	63	303	38
1878	24	62	58	364	41
1879	58	83	76	333	64
1880	64	76	66	381	54
1881	80	81	48	392	36
1882	101	97	57	398	43
1883	85	128	57	473	36
1884	142	203	65	563	48
1885	115	203	84	645	73
1886	122	340*	107	858	83
						548

* Of this number, 137 non-matriculated students attended courses of evening lectures.

NOTE.—The Public Examinations are similar to the *Middle Class* Examinations of Oxford and Cambridge. They are held annually, in November, and are intended to test the qualifications of boys and girls attending schools or being instructed privately. They are divided into Senior and Junior, and certificates of competency in the *several* subjects of examination are given to the successful candidates. These examinations are *distinct* from the examination for the Civil Service.

No. 188.—Receipts and Expenditure of the University of Sydney for the years 1876–86.

Year.	Receipts.				Expenditure.
	Government Aid.	College Fees.	Other Sources.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	5,000 0 0	403 4 6	4,904 13 10	10,307 18 4	10,681 11 8
1877	5,000 0 0	333 18 0	6,261 15 4	11,595 13 4	9,616 17 3
1878	6,168 0 0	324 6 6	3,556 1 1	10,048 7 7	10,849 14 10
1879	5,114 3 6	476 5 7	3,223 7 10	8,813 16 11	8,661 0 9
1880	6,500 0 0	457 9 9	3,960 8 7	10,917 18 4	9,870 16 5
1881	6,000 0 0	705 15 3	8,577 7 11	15,283 3 2	10,693 4 11
1882	12,963 11 0*	1,080 3 6	2,105 15 7	16,149 10 1	12,700 19 3
1883	14,342 15 0†	1,265 15 8	4,040 17 11	19,649 8 7	19,769 12 1
1884	15,500 0 0	2,207 3 2	2,600 15 1	20,307 18 3	18,203 12 7
1885	16,500 0 0	2,108 11 3	1,729 14 10	20,338 6 1	21,577 6 11
1886	17,500 0 0	2,470 18 2	3,610 3 7	23,581 1 9	23,176 10 10

* Includes additions, repairs, and furniture.

† Exclusive of additions, repairs, and furniture and also lighting lamps, &c.

No. 189.—Number of Students, &c., with Receipts and Expenditure for the year 1886, of the Sydney University and Affiliated Colleges, and of the Sydney Grammar School.

Institution.	Number of Teachers.	Number of Students.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	
			From the Government.	From other sources.	Total.	On buildings.	Total.
University	30	340	£ 17,500*	£ 6,081	£ 23,581	£ 22,780	£ 45,956
St. Paul's College ...	2	23	2,769	2,135	4,904	3,611	5,783
St. John's College ...	3	8	500	750	1,250	100	1,250
St. Andrew's College ...	2	20	500	2,776	3,276	146	2,336
Sydney Grammar School..	18	429	2,800	6,307	9,107	1,845	9,483

* Does not include cost of buildings, &c., carried out by the Government, viz., £22,780.

No. 190.—Art Gallery, Free Libraries, and Museums: Number of Visitors, Receipts, and Expenditure, for the year 1886.

Institutions.	Number of Visitors.				Receipts from Government.	Expenditure.			
	For the year.		Average daily.			Purchases.	Salaries and Wages.	Total	
	Week-days	Sundays.	Week-days	Sundays.					
Art Gallery	130,115	90,430	418	1,739	£ 5,000	£ 2,118	£ 1,013	£ 3,131	
Free Library—									
Reference Branch ...	97,955	5,475	323	105	* 8,192	3,584	4,096	7,680	
Lending Branch ...	63,081	2,174	216	44					
Technological Museum ...	31,297	17,937	99	325	4,399	2,756	1,640	4,396	
Australian Museum ...	85,972	41,259	236	793	8,475	3,702	3,349	7,051	

*Amount expended on building, £7,576, not included.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

No. 191.—Number of Volumes in the Free Public Library on the
31st December, 1886.

Synopsis of Classification.	Reference Department.	Lending Branch.	Country Libraries (on loan).	Total.
Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts	5,608	2,640	469	8,717
History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology ...	4,868	2,210	677	7,755
Biography and Correspondence	3,355	2,685	684	6,724
Geography, Topography, Voyages and Travels, &c. ...	4,915	2,712	404	8,031
Periodical and Serial Literature	13,244	.....	.....	13,244
Jurisprudence	2,246	615	48	2,909
Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education	3,075	1,011	64	4,150
Poetry and Drama	1,665	534	64	2,263
Miscellaneous Literature and Novels	3,933	4,010	222	8,165
Works of Reference and Philology	3,714	.....	.....	3,714
Patents ... ... ... ...	.....	4,301	.....	4,301
Duplicates and unbound Volumes	1,195	.....	.....	1,195
Pamphlets	2,589	.....	.....	2,589
Books for the Blind ... ... ... ...	.....	567	.....	567
Total Number of Volumes ...	50,407	21,285	2,632	74,324

No. 192.—Public Libraries and Schools of Art.

Institutions.	Original Cost of Buildings, where freehold.	Receipts during 1886.			Number of Volumes.
		From Government.	Private Contributions.	Total.	
Sydney Free Library ...	£ s. d. 5,570 12 5	£ s. d. 8,192 0 0	£ s. d.	£ s. d. †8,192 0 0	74,324
Other Libraries and Schools of Arts, Sydney and Suburbs.	36,079 0 0	2,253 9 9	4,619 12 11	6,873 2 8	43,285
Country Libraries and Schools of Arts.	131,057 0 0	6,185 2 9	13,369 15 2	19,554 17 11	122,802
	*172,706 12 5	16,630 12 6	17,989 8 1	34,620 0 7	240,411

* In four cases the Libraries are connected with the Municipal Buildings, and the cost is not included in this amount.
 † Amount expended on building, £7,576, not included.

No. 193.—Average Attendance at Churches and Chapels and all other Places used for Public Worship, of each Denomination—1876–86.

Denomination.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
Church of England	... 62,714	63,953	65,388	70,550	73,682	71,924	73,043	75,962	74,722	74,535	60,796
Roman Catholic	... 57,233	60,511	60,769	64,983	69,363	70,467	75,781	70,933	77,801	79,174	72,505
Presbyterian	... 18,647	19,417	20,142	20,329	21,449	22,374	21,858	25,952	24,579	26,570	19,970
Wesleyan Methodist	... 33,475	33,553	32,683	33,265	35,357	33,421	32,195	38,400	40,718	45,467	37,813
Other Methodists	... 7,950	8,400	8,880	9,650	10,500	10,755	10,920	7,490	6,346	7,698	7,060
Congregational	... 7,158	7,460	7,460	8,012	8,012	8,012	8,012	9,180	9,440	9,423	8,865
Baptist	... 2,342	2,527	3,210	3,413	2,107	2,480	2,476	3,392	3,396	3,410	4,095
Salvation Army	... .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	*	*	*
Other Denominations	... 1,501	1,400	2,328	1,915	1,452	1,598	1,720	3,060	3,195	3,764	3,465
Total	... 191,020	197,221	200,860	212,117	221,922	221,031	226,005	234,369	240,197	250,041	214,569†

* ,000, 70,000, 28,500, and 27,000, returned by the Salvation Army authorities for the years 1883, 1884, 1885, and 1886 respectively, not included.

principal Sunday Service, not including Sunday School children.

† Usually attending at

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

No. 194.—Sunday Schools: Number of Schools maintained by various Denominations, also Teachers, and Attendance of Children, during the year 1886.

Denomination.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Average attendance of Children.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England...	491	1,189	2,262	3,451	15,098	18,215	33,313
Roman Catholic ...	372	371	1,072	1,443	9,988	13,163	23,151
Presbyterian ...	219	578	838	1,416	5,082	5,855	10,937
Wesleyan Methodist	324	1,240	1,346	2,586	9,785	11,146	20,931
Other Methodists ...	70	434	316	750	2,966	3,042	6,008
Congregational ...	59	338	368	706	2,830	3,281	6,111
Baptist ...	30	136	115	251	954	1,032	1,986
Other Denominations	31	88	68	156	604	620	1,224
Total ...	1,596	4,374	6,385	10,759	47,307	56,354	103,661

No. 195.—Number of Sunday Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—1876–86.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.	Average Attendance.		
			Male.	Female.	Total.
1876 ...	1,058	7,099	27,443	31,394	58,837
1877 ...	1,121	7,615	28,943	33,094	62,037
1878 ...	1,196	8,063	29,877	34,699	64,576
1879 ...	1,285	8,491	31,802	37,710	69,512
1880 ...	1,340	9,027	33,304	39,089	72,393
1881 ...	1,405	9,289	34,950	40,722	75,672
1882 ...	1,318	9,190	34,393	41,334	75,727
1883 ...	1,441	9,793	35,205	42,610	77,815
1884 ...	1,461	9,426	35,883	43,202	79,085
1885 ...	1,513	9,986	37,991	46,531	84,522
1886 ...	1,596	10,759	47,307	56,354	103,661

No. 196.—Amounts paid to the Clergy of different Denominations since the passing of the Act for the Abolition of State Aid to Religion.

Year	Church of England.	Roman Catholic Church.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyan Methodist.	Total—All Denominations.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1863	17,967 0 10	8,748 0 1	2,873 3 11	2,784 12 3	32,372 17 1
1864	17,518 11 1	8,233 19 0	2,614 6 8	1,179 7 9	29,546 4 6
1865	14,111 1 2	7,430 10 2	3,089 13 4	1,572 10 4	26,203 15 0
1866	13,977 12 0	7,445 16 8	2,852 0 0	1,572 10 4	25,847 19 0
1867	13,254 17 0	7,275 0 0	2,852 0 0	1,572 10 4	24,954 7 4
1868	12,766 17 3	7,083 6 8	2,846 15 1	1,965 12 11	24,662 11 11
1869	12,370 3 8	6,796 7 5	2,487 6 11	1,572 10 4	23,226 8 4
1870	12,386 9 6	6,583 6 8	2,179 18 4	1,572 10 4	22,722 4 10
1871	10,994 5 0	6,416 13 4	1,942 11 2	1,572 10 0	20,925 19 6
1872	12,186 12 0	6,034 5 11	1,822 11 3	1,484 1 1	21,527 10 3
1873	11,236 9 6	5,804 3 4	1,702 0 0	1,372 10 0	20,115 2 10
1874	11,224 7 11	5,962 10 0	1,560 3 4	1,372 10 0	20,119 11 3
1875	10,724 18 4	5,608 6 8	1,625 10 0	1,372 10 0	19,331 5 0
1876	10,212 13 3	5,300 0 0	1,778 10 0	1,029 7 7	18,320 10 10
1877	9,803 11 2	5,024 1 2	1,702 0 0	1,715 12 5	18,245 4 9
1878	9,180 2 3	4,550 0 0	1,702 0 0	1,029 7 9	16,461 10 0
1879	8,238 1 1	4,356 19 9	1,702 0 0	1,372 10 4	15,689 11 2
1880	7,739 2 0	3,892 12 1	1,702 0 0	1,715 12 11	15,049 7 0
1881	7,412 4 8	3,729 3 4	1,689 10 0	991 17 9	13,822 15 9
1882	6,557 10 4	3,487 10 0	1,636 3 4	1,455 8 7	13,136 12 3
1883	6,082 10 4	3,245 16 8	1,407 1 8	1,324 7 6	12,059 16 2
1884	5,975 5 2	3,025 0 0	1,177 0 0	1,222 10 0	11,399 15 2
1885	6,040 17 0	3,000 0 0	1,052 0 0	1,136 5 0	11,229 2 0
1886	5,790 17 6	3,000 0 0	902 0 0	1,050 0 0	10,742 17 6

No. 197.—Estimated Number of Clergy and Adherents of different Religious Persuasions at the close of the year 1886.

Denomination.	* Clergy.	Adherents.	Denomination.	* Clergy.	Adherents.
Church of England ...	323	455,895	Baptists ...	23	9,819
Roman Catholic ...	255	276,843	Other Protestants ...	30	19,839
Presbyterians ...	136	96,790	Unitarians ...	1	1,202
Wesleyan & other Methodists	169	85,968	Hebrews ...	4	4,409
Congregational ...	58	19,138	Others ...	.....	32,063
			Total ...	999	1,001,966

* Registered under Acts 19 Vic. Nos. 30 and 34.

HOSPITALS FOR INSANE.

No. 198.—Amounts Expended and Collected at Institutions for the Insane during the year 1886.

Name of Institution.	Total Expenditure.	Collections.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville...	26,328 10 2
Do Parramatta...	28,842 19 9
Do Callan Park	21,354 19 1
Do Newcastle	7,188 17 5
Reception House, Darlinghurst	1,806 6 3
Total	85,521 12 8	9,691 7 5

No. 199.—Weekly Cost of Patients in Hospitals for the Insane during the year 1886.

Institution.	Total No. under care.	Average No. resident.	Calculated on Average Number resident.								
			Total Annual Cost.	Salaries and Allowances.	Provisions, &c., &c.	Amusements, Books, and Periodicals.	Incidental Expenses and Minor Repairs.	Materials for Employment of Patients.	Stores, Bedding, &c.	Total Weekly Cost without deducting Collections.	Weekly Cost deducting Collections.
Hospitals for the Insane:			£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.
Gladesville ...	935	731	26,328	10 2	5 0	5 11 ³	1 ⁴	3 ¹ ₂	3 ¹ ₄	2 1 ³	13 9 ¹ ₂ 11 8
Parramatta ...	1,131	1,012	28,842	19 9	4 1 ¹ ₂	4 8 ¹ ₂	1 ⁴	1 ²	2 ¹ ₂	1 8 ¹ ₂	10 11 ¹ ₂ 10 2
Callan Park ...	819	571	21,354	19 1	5 0 ³ ₄	6 0	2 ¹ ₂	3 ¹ ₂	2 ¹ ₂	2 7 ¹ ₄	14 4 ¹ ₂ 12 5 ¹ ₂
Newcastle ...	266	239	7,188	17 5	4 2	5 2 ¹ ₂	1 ³ ₄	5	2 ³ ₄	1 4 ¹ ₂	11 6 ¹ ₄ 10 7 ¹ ₂

Average weekly cost for all Hospitals, without deducting collections, 3s. 12s. 7¹₂d ; or, deducting collections, 1ls. 1³d.

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No. 200.—Receipts and Expenditure of Hospitals in the Colony for the year 1886.

		Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
RECEIPTS—				
Government Aid	...	£ 30,783 2 0	£ 25,644 9 5	£ 56,427 11 5
Private Contributions	...	31,991 19 2	19,921 8 1	51,913 7 3
Other sources	...	5,995 7 2	12,244 13 4	18,240 0 6
Total Receipts	...	68,770 8 4	57,810 10 10	126,580 19 2
EXPENDITURE—				
Building and Repairs	...	6,964 9 3	6,784 2 5	13,748 11 8
Maintenance...	...	29,321 9 4	30,700 12 9	60,022 2 1
Outdoor Relief	...	.....	543 19 7	543 19 7
Miscellaneous	...	13,096 15 1	11,786 10 0	24,883 5 1
Total Expenditure	...	49,382 13 8	49,815 4 9	99,197 18 5
Assets at close of year	...	46,789 11 2	40,249 10 8	87,039 1 10
Liabilities at close of year	...	11,314 18 10	2,677 0 7	13,991 19 5

No. 201.—Number of Persons in Hospitals on 31st December in each year—1875–86.

Year.	City and Suburbs.			Country.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1875 ...	158	78	236	249	40	289	407	118	525
1876 ...	145	83	228	256	47	303	401	130	531
1877 ...	137	69	206	348	51	399	485	120	605
1878 ...	141	97	238	418	43	461	559	140	699
1879 ...	156	76	232	498	54	552	654	130	784
1880 ...	152	64	216	551	45	596	703	109	812
1881 ...	142	46	188	617	51	668	759	97	856
1882 ...	140	68	208	297	55	352	437	123	560
1883 ...	196	80	276	332	56	388	528	136	664
1884 ...	418	181	599	331	61	392	749	242	991
1885 ...	365	176	541	415	59	474	780	235	1,015
*1886 ...	346	182	528	397	78	475	743	260	1,003

* Admissions during the year, 12,122; deaths, 1,249; discharged incurable, 224; number of beds, 1,620.

No. 202.—Number of Adults remaining in Benevolent Asylums at the close of each year—1875–1886.

Asylum.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.			
	Males.	Females.																								
Sydney—																										
Hyde Park (Newington)	...	233	...	271	...	261	...	261	...	262	...	288	...	277	...	284	...	292	...	312	...	304	...	331		
Pitt-street	...	2	53	2	64	2	50	2	62	2	90	2	75	...	73	...	88	...	107	...	115	...	88	...	83	
Parramatta—																										
George-street	...	254	...	240	...	233	...	237	...	254	...	259	...	237	...	219	...	267	...	339	...	342	...	421	...	
Macquarie-street	...	4	15	4	12	3	13	3	13	7	11	7	15	4	16	7	23	268	...	276	...	292	...	297	...	
Liverpool	622	...	663	...	715	...	729	...	756	...	707	...	724	...	733	...	724	...	710	...	741	...		
West Maitland	...	6	4	6	3	8	3	12	2	12	1	9	3	10	3	10	3	12	4	12	4	10	6	23	12	
Singleton	15	1	12	2	9	3	12	2	13	4	10	1	10	6	11	4	11	5	12	4	12	2	9	8
Totals	903	306	927	352	970	330	995	340	1,044	368	994	382	985	375	980	402	1,282	408	1,363	435	1,366	400	1,491	434	
		1,209		1,279		1,300		1,335		1,412		1,376		1,360		1,382		1,690		1,798		1,766		1,925		

STATE CHILDREN.

No. 203.—Number of Children placed out by the State Children's Relief Department.

Under control on 31st December.		Supported by Government.			Adopted without payment.			Apprenticed.			Total under Control.		
		Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1880...	...	20	32	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	32	52
1881...	...	34	46	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	46	80
1882...	...	90	132	222	6	9	15	.....	8	8	96	149	245
1883...	...	190	236	426	6	10	16	2	10	12	198	256	454
1884...	...	450	300	750	12	30	42	20	55	75	482	385	867
1885...	...	624	434	1,058	21	52	73	95	89	184	740	575	1,315
1886...	...	690	438	1,128	45	71	116	296	159	455	1,031	668	1,699

The children supported by Government are the only children paid for. The adopted and apprenticed children are not paid for.

No. 204.—Number of Orphan, Industrial, and other Charitable Schools of the Colony during the year 1886.

Orphan, Industrial Schools, &c.	Inmates on 1 Jan., from previous year.			Admitted in 1886.			Total number.			Discharged or removed.			Number remaining at end of the year.		
	Males,	Females,	Total.	Males,	Females,	Total.	Males,	Females,	Total.	Males,	Females,	Total.	Males,	Females,	Total.
Protestant Orphan School*	33	11	44	...	...	...	33	11	44	33	11	44	...	...	...
Roman Catholic Orphan School*	45	18	63	...	...	...	45	18	63	45	18	63	...	...	...
Nautical School Ship "Vernon" ...	204	...	204	172	...	172	376	...	376	171	...	171	205	...	205
Female Industrial School, Biloela	6	100	106	4	47	51	10	147	157	9	58	67	1	89	90
Shaftesbury Reformatory for Females, South Head.	...	29	29	...	7	7	...	36	36	...	12	12	...	24	24
Asylum for Destitute Children, Randwick	123	76	199	68	45	113	191	121	312	34	24	58	157	97	254
Sydney Female School of Industry	...	30	30	...	6	6	...	36	36	...	2	2	...	34	34
Deaf and Dumb and Blind Institution	43	35	78	11	4	15	54	39	93	8	10	18	46	29	75
	454	299	753	255	109	364	709	408	1,117	300	135	435	409	273	682
Ragged Schools—															
Kent-street, Sydney	74	51	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	39	98
Harrington-street, Sydney	49	40	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	64	143
Glebe, Sydney	105	66	171	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	39	77
Waterloo, Sydney	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	76	126
	228	157	385	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	226	218	444
Total	...	456	1,138	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	635	491	1,126

* Closed 30th September, 1886.

No. 205.—Number of Destitute Children—including those detained at Biloela and on the “Vernon”—supported by the State or Public Charity, during each year from 1875 to 1886.

Institution.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
Orphan School (Protestant) ...	... 156	93	165	90	176	84	171	79	157	77	152	80	147	79	149	37	124	22	48	13	34	*33	*11	11	11
Orphan School (R.C.) ...	... 176	140	187	145	184	149	187	161	190	150	177	143	178	142	156	100	130	63	63	26	45	18	*45	*18	18
“Vernon” Nautical School ...	... 103	...	100	...	92	...	113	...	124	...	148	...	177	...	186	...	213	...	202	...	202	...	205	...	...
Biloela Industrial School ...	... 4	58	5	75	9	83	14	76	18	97	16	101	21	109	16	114	13	90	10	95	6	100	1	89	89
Shaftesbury Reformatory ...	... 9	...	14	...	6	...	3	...	4	...	11	...	19	...	29	...	27	...	25	...	29	...	24	24	24
Randwick Asylum ...	... 335	236	331	217	340	230	335	224	373	268	370	269	395	276	387	256	358	187	253	99	123	76	157	97	97
Benevolent Asylum (children) ...	... 182	...	194	...	191	...	164	...	191	...	177	...	147	...	156	...	191	...	149	...	122	...	130	...	130
Infants' Home, Ashfield ...	... 8	13	10	13	14	15	35	20	48	29	30	16	30	17	30	20	20	11	34	20	19	13	20	15	15
State Children's Relief Department ...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	32	34	46	90	132	190	236	450	300	624	434	690	438	438
Total ...	... 1,513	1,546	1,573	1,582	1,726	1,742	1,817	1,858	1,861	1,861	1,877	1,856	1,929												

* Closed, September, 1886—not included in totals.

PRIVATE CHARITY.

No. 206.—Number of Persons in various Charitable Institutions, mainly supported by Private Charity, at the end of each year—1875-86.

Institution.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.			
	Males,	Females.																								
Industrial Blind Institution	9	...	10	...	20	...	20	...	21	...		
Consumptives' Home...	12	4	12	5	13	4	19	8			
House of the Good Samaritan	140	...	98	...	57	...	57	...	68	...	94	...	49	...	56	...	84	...	62	...	64	...	80	
Sydney Female Refuge	27	...	34	...	40	...	47	...	46	...	37	...	40	...	47	...	37	...	43	...	44	...	48	
Infants' Home, Ashfield (women)	20	...	12	...	23	...	11	...	19		
*City Night Refuge, &c.	40	1	44	...	24	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	20	...	19	...	18	...		
Total	40	168	44	132	24	97	20	104	20	114	20	131	20	89	29	123	42	137	52	133	52	123	58	155

* Meals given during the year, 65,685 ; shelter provided in 25,851 instances ; daily average, 180 meals and 71 nightly shelters—representing 7,300 distinct persons.

PART VIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 207.—Number of Licensed (Publicans') Houses in each Licensing District for the year 1886.

Licensing District.	No.	Licensing District.	No.	Licensing District.	No.
Albury ...	38	Glen Innes ...	18	Parkes ...	17
Armidale ...	42	Gosford ...	19	Parramatta ...	43
Ballina ...	21	Goulburn ...	61	Penrith ...	17
Balranald ...	16	Grafton ...	43	Picton ...	5
Barraba ...	5	Grenfell ...	16	Port Macquarie ...	6
Bathurst ...	72	Gunnedah ...	22	Port Stephens ...	11
Bega ...	22	Gundagai ...	31	Quirindi ...	12
Bellinger ...	11	Hartley ...	27	Queanbeyan ...	28
Berrima ...	20	Hay ...	39	Raymond Terrace ...	5
Bingera ...	9	Hillston ...	31	Richmond River ...	18
Bombala ...	10	Hill End ...	7	Rylstone ...	7
Bourke ...	49	Inverell ...	26	Ryde ...	11
Braidwood ...	13	Jerilderie ...	7	Scone ...	8
Brewarrina ...	30	Kiama ...	10	Shoalhaven ...	14
Broulee ...	15	Lismore ...	21	Silverton ...	28
Burrowa ...	15	Liverpool ...	18	Tamworth ...	41
Camden ...	5	Maclean ...	20	Temora ...	31
Campbelltown ...	11	Macleay River ...	16	Tenterfield ...	19
Carcoar ...	31	Maitland ...	60	Tumbarumba ...	10
Cassilis ...	12	Manning River ...	15	Tumut ...	11
Cobar ...	23	Menindie ...	10	Tweed River ...	11
Condobolin ...	14	Metropolitan ...	840	Urana ...	8
Cooma ...	29	Milparinka ...	16	Wagga Wagga ...	63
Coonabarabran ...	10	Mitchell ...	31	Walcha ...	6
Coonamble ...	14	Moama ...	10	Walgett ...	24
Cootamundra ...	18	Molong ...	34	Waratah ...	61
Copeland ...	5	Moree ...	21	Warialda ...	14
Corowa ...	21	Mudgee ...	45	Wellington ...	20
Cowra ...	13	Murrurundi ...	10	Wentworth ...	19
Deniliquin ...	35	Muswellbrook ...	9	Windsor ...	21
Dubbo ...	88	Narrabri ...	33	Wollombi ...	5
Dowling ...	4	Narandera ...	28	Wollongong ...	21
Dungog ...	8	Newcastle ...	102	Yass ...	20
Eden ...	9	Nymagee ...	11	Young ...	38
Emmaville ...	10	Orange ...	41	Total ...	3,231
Forbes ...	28	Paterson ...	5		
Germanton ...	7	Patrick's Plains ...	22		

METEOROLOGY.

No. 208.—Abstract of Meteorological Observations
Latitude, $33^{\circ} 51' 41.1''$; longitude, $151^{\circ} 12' 23.25''$

Month.	Self-registering Electric Barograph, corrected to 32° Fahr.				Wind.
	Highest Reading.	Date.	Lowest Reading.	Date.	
Jan...	30.261	12	29.276	30	Average for preceding 27 years.
			29.839	29.767	Greatest Pressure.
Feb..	-211	28	-207	5	Date.
			-726	-803	Mean Pressure.
March	-226	1	-507	6	Total in Miles.
			-903	-890	Prevailing direction.
April	-227	25	-507	22	Prevailing direction for 27 years.
			-906	-936	Mean Maximum in Shade.
May..	-180	23	-516	18	Highest in Shade.
			-956	-911	Date.
June	-386	15	-827	11	Mean Minimum in Shade.
			-30.155	-922	Lowest in Shade.
July	-464	15	-583	28	Greatest Range.
			-062	-950	Date.
Aug.	-390	25	-243	20	* Sums.
			-29.769	-933	
Sept.	-401	15	-185	7	
			-941	-880	
Oct..	-198	8	-291	22	
			-707	-835	
Nov.	-210	28	-282	25	
			-862	-805	
Dec.	-184	13	-481	28	
Means	29.888	
			29.864	12.2	
			..	0.7	
			*	88,101	
			W.	W.	
			W.	703	
			W.	81.6	
			..	53.7	
			49.1	..	
			24.0	..	

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taken at the Sydney Observatory in the year 1886.
east ; magnetic variation, $9^{\circ} 35' 37''$ east.

Temperature.	Rain.																				
	Mean Diurnal Range.	Mean in Shade.	Average for preceding 27 years.	Highest in Sun.	Date.	Lowest on Grass.	Date.	Mean Temperature of sea-water 3 ft. below surface in harbour.	Greatest Fall in one day.	Date.	No. of Days Rain.	No. of Days Dew.	Total Fall of Rain.	Total Fall of Dew.	Average Rainfall for preceding 27 years.	Evaporation—Total Amount.	Number of Days Lightning.	Clouds—Mean Amount.	Number of Clear Days.	Meteors Observed.	Month.
13.3	72.8	71.3	152.8	8	51.8	14	71.3	1954	28	14	3	2753	0.003	3352	5223	5	57	1	0	Jan.	
15.6	72.7	70.9	152.0	12	50.3	1	72.4	0.545	11	5	3	0725	0.007	5747	5009	2	46	2	0	Feb.	
14.8	68.3	69.3	138.6	21	47.0	14	71.1	2889	26	11	8	5463	0.011	4729	3631	5	38	4	0	March.	
11.7	65.4	64.8	127.5	10	41.8	25	69.0	0.950	15	13	8	2976	0.020	6549	2649	2	50	4	0	April.	
14.8	58.7	58.5	122.2	18	36.8	13	64.3	1718	29	11	8	2631	0.010	5059	1686	4	37	9	1	May.	
11.9	53.8	54.3	98.7	3	33.4	26	60.7	0.676	15	18	9	2074	0.029	5597	1022	0	57	5	0	June.	
11.6	53.8	52.4	105.0	24	34.9	11	58.2	1650	26	18	8	5523	0.016	4229	1272	3	55	2	0	July.	
13.7	55.8	55.1	116.2	29	31.8	17	58.6	0356	20	14	7	2158	0.010	2842	1718	4	51	8	0	August.	
15.5	58.9	58.8	126.4	22	36.3	15	60.3	0.520	27	7	10	0753	0.014	3151	2773	1	29	9	0	Sept.	
15.5	63.5	63.3	146.0	30	38.1	6	63.3	4682	15	11	6	5519	0.007	3037	3005	2	50	4	0	Oct.	
13.1	63.8	64.4	139.0	12	46.3	1	68.5	1402	4	14	8	4357	0.015	3086	4083	2	52	3	0	Nov.	
11.9	69.2	69.7	141.5	7	49.1	23	69.2	1424	13	16	6	4336	0.008	2786	4432	1	64	2	0	Dec.	
13.6	63.5	62.7	130.5	..	41.5	..	65.6	....	*	*	*	39276	0.150	49664	37103	31	..	53	*	Means.	

* Summ.

No. 209.—Mean Temperature of each Month at Sydney in the years 1856 to 1886 inclusive.

Year.	Janu- ary.	Febr- uary.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sep- tember.	Octo- ber.	Novem- ber.	Decem- ber.	Means
1856...	69·0	69·6	68·6	64·7	56·1	49·2	46·9	52·6	55·8	62·2	62·9	65·7	60·3
1857...	70·2	71·2	68·0	64·1	54·5	53·0	52·2	51·9	55·1	59·7	64·7	68·6	61·1
1858...	73·0	69·6	67·6	62·4	57·1	52·2	48·9	50·7	57·0	60·8	66·3	68·6	61·2
1859...	70·6	69·8	68·2	63·8	58·5	52·5	50·6	55·3	57·3	65·3	66·4	69·5	62·3
1860...	70·6	68·7	70·6	64·8	57·4	53·4	51·8	54·7	57·5	61·3	63·8	67·2	61·8
1861...	69·7	71·6	71·5	64·7	56·6	54·6	51·1	52·4	57·6	64·3	64·5	69·0	62·3
1862...	70·6	71·7	70·4	62·4	57·7	54·4	52·5	52·3	59·9	62·0	68·1	69·9	62·7
1863...	71·9	72·1	69·4	63·8	59·0	55·0	52·6	53·9	57·0	62·3	66·4	67·8	62·6
1864...	72·1	69·3	67·7	64·6	58·2	54·1	53·3	54·9	59·2	60·4	64·9	67·0	62·6
1865...	69·5	71·1	69·2	66·4	56·5	52·9	51·0	55·0	61·1	64·1	67·7	70·5	62·9
1866...	71·4	71·2	68·2	66·8	60·5	56·8	52·9	54·8	59·5	62·8	66·6	68·1	63·3
1867...	71·1	70·8	68·5	66·4	61·0	56·2	54·3	54·7	59·3	68·5	69·4	70·9	64·3
1868...	70·7	69·5	69·5	64·4	58·6	55·8	53·0	54·0	59·7	66·5	65·5	72·0	63·3
1869...	72·9	70·1	71·6	65·1	58·3	55·2	52·3	55·4	56·7	62·0	66·3	70·1	63·0
1870...	71·5	72·0	68·1	66·0	58·5	54·0	52·4	53·5	57·9	64·3	67·0	68·5	62·8
1871...	69·5	70·7	65·7	63·9	59·5	53·8	53·1	55·7	58·8	60·6	65·7	71·6	62·4
1872...	73·2	71·9	68·0	62·1	56·5	55·5	53·1	52·0	58·0	63·1	67·3	70·3	62·6
1873...	69·7	70·5	67·9	63·6	60·2	57·8	51·4	56·5	60·1	63·9	62·9	71·3	63·0
1874...	71·6	70·2	69·7	66·2	58·9	53·2	51·2	53·5	57·7	65·8	67·5	70·9	63·0
1875...	72·7	69·7	69·6	65·0	57·0	55·6	52·5	57·3	57·4	64·5	68·1	70·7	63·3
1876 .	72·6	71·0	71·9	65·8	60·1	54·1	52·8	54·8	59·2	63·1	67·3	70·0	63·6
1877...	72·0	72·3	69·9	64·7	59·4	54·9	54·8	56·3	58·4	62·4	68·2	71·6	63·8
1878...	72·5	72·0	72·0	66·1	57·7	51·3	52·7	56·4	60·2	63·6	68·6	70·4	63·6
1879...	71·9	70·6	67·6	62·2	56·7	52·2	51·5	55·3	59·6	63·6	66·1	68·2	62·1
1880...	71·5	70·8	69·9	64·9	57·8	52·8	51·0	57·4	59·6	61·1	66·8	70·0	62·8
1881...	69·9	70·2	70·0	63·8	60·5	52·9	51·2	54·8	58·1	59·8	65·5	70·0	62·2
1882...	72·3	71·2	70·6	64·2	58·6	53·3	52·0	55·9	61·6	63·6	66·2	69·7	63·3
1883...	70·3	70·2	67·9	63·6	58·8	54·6	52·2	55·8	56·8	62·1	64·4	70·8	62·3
1884...	71·6	72·0	68·4	64·5	58·3	54·4	54·9	56·9	58·9	63·3	65·3	70·4	63·2
1885...	72·5	72·7	69·2	64·6	60·0	54·4	52·8	57·0	61·7	64·9	66·7	70·8	63·9
1886...	72·8	72·7	68·3	65·4	58·7	53·8	53·8	55·8	58·9	63·5	68·8	69·2	63·5
Means.	71·3	70·9	69·1	64·6	58·3	54·0	52·2	54·7	58·6	63·1	66·3	69·7	62·7

No. 210.—Number of Fire Brigades in operation during 1886, and Number of Men attached to each Brigade, and Fires attended.

	Name of Station or Brigade.	Average number of men.	Number of fires attended.
Metropolitan, 3 Stations	... ... ... ... ... ... ...	30	205
VOLUNTEER COMPANIES, CITY	No. 1, Pitt-street ...	17	32
	No. 4, South Sydney ...	24	87
	No. 5, East Sydney ...	18	84
	Theatre Royal ...	23	43
	Standard Brewery ...	21	113
	Surry Hills ...	15	10
SUBURBAN	Alexandria ...	18	15
	Balmain ...	29	10
	Burwood ...	17	6
	Glebe ...	19	30
	Mount Lachlan ...	19	8
	Newtown ...	21	13
	Paddington ...	15	12
	Parramatta, No. 1 ...	20	4
	, No. 2 ...	25	4
	Redfern ...	21	31
	St. Leonards ...	27	4
COUNTRY	Woollahra ...	18	15
	Deniliquin ...	25	1
	Forbes ...	30	11
	Grafton, North ...	25	15
	, South ...	18	14
	Hay ...	12	†
	West Maitland ...	26	3
	Total ...	533	*257

* Viz., 205 in Metropolitan District, and 52 in other districts. † No return.

FIRE INSURANCE.

No. 211.—Declared Amount of Risks held by Fire Insurance Companies in the City and Suburbs of Sydney.

Name of Company.	1884.	1885.	1886.
	£	£	£
Alliance British and Foreign Insurance Company	603,335	582,848	598,399
Australian Alliance Insurance Company	572,772	524,738	494,155
Australian Mercantile Union Insurance Company	324,978	352,896	564,877
Australian Mutual Insurance Society	4,845,368	5,307,552	7,054,923
City Mutual Insurance Company	1,470,000	1,688,520	1,912,835
City of London Insurance Company	143,185	164,300	186,109
Colonial Insurance Company of New Zealand	252,541	254,760	223,193
Colonial Mutual Insurance Company	760,305	862,544	1,166,600
Commercial Union Assurance Company	4,402,060	5,089,716	5,880,175
Cornwall Insurance Company	51,700	48,335	100,000
Equitable Fire and Marine Association of New Zealand ...	.....	109,496	232,383
Fire Insurance Association	171,633	297,918	.....
Guardian Insurance Company	231,074	237,712	239,598
Hamburg Magdeburg Insurance Company	106,115	131,580	140,720
Hanseatic Insurance Company	135,000	137,200	128,780
Imperial Insurance Company	1,120,000	1,320,000	1,117,000
Industrial Mutual Insurance Company	986,338	1,098,011	1,112,685
Lancashire Insurance Company	485,000	323,800	.....
Lion Insurance Company	431,527	318,627	391,475
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company ...	3,181,290	3,200,000	3,026,837
London and Lancashire	656,585	659,361	461,762
London and Provincial Insurance Company	366,182	372,482	281,205
Manchester Insurance Company (R. Nott, Agent)	290,550	229,342	200,373
Manchester Insurance Company (McArthur & Co., Agents)	.....	32,150	266,296
Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company	2,239,710	2,746,754	3,565,595
National Insurance Company, New Zealand	645,571	695,278	1,010,786
Netherlands Fire Insurance Company	63,885	.....	.....
New Zealand Insurance Company	975,000	1,550,027	1,719,198
North British and Mercantile Insurance Company	644,965	860,763	815,410
Northern Assurance Company	632,000	700,000	600,000
Norwich Union Insurance Company	2,360,252	2,700,038	2,040,844
Pacific Insurance Company	487,000	511,000	594,000
Phoenix Insurance Company	366,065	596,804	1,055,369
Prussian National Insurance Company	135,000	137,200	128,780
Queen Insurance Company	714,136	821,921	1,045,933
Royal Insurance	530,000	560,000	552,795
Scottish Union and National Insurance Company ... ...	.....	225,566	301,108
South British Insurance Company	314,047	447,994	657,950
Standard Insurance, New Zealand	915,000	1,115,000	1,285,894
Sun Insurance Company	383,410	420,832	421,292
Sydney Mutual Insurance Company ... ...	.....	.....	57,825
Union Insurance Company	524,500	605,735	536,600
United Insurance Company	1,548,627	1,834,284	2,156,417
United Australian Mutual Insurance Company	69,681	318,498	377,194
Victoria Insurance Company	1,554,600	1,440,000	1,550,000
Totals	36,690,987	41,631,582	46,253,370

No. 212.—Permanent Military Forces: Distribution of the Regular Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1886.

Corps or Company.	Colonel, Brevet.	Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors and Brevet-Majors.	Captains.	Medical Officers.	Chaplains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Quartermasters.	Adjutants, Pay and Quarter-masters.	Regimental Sergeant-Majors.	Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeants.	Colour-Sergeants and Sergeants.	Orderly-Room Clerks.	Bugle and Trumpet Majors.	Sergeant-Majors.	Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total.
	Major-General Commanding.	Colonel Commanding Artillery Forces.	Assistant Adjutant-General.	Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General.	Brigade Pay-master.	Medical Officer.	Colonels, Brevet.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Accountant.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total.				
General Staff	I	...	...	I	...	...	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
New South Wales Artillery ... ...	...	I	...	I	...	...	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	380
Total ... ::	...	I	...	I	...	...	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	406

No. 213.—Volunteer Force: Distribution of the Volunteer Forces, on the 31st December, 1886.

Distribution.	Permanent Staff...	Medical and Honorary Staff.	Artillery ...	Engineers ...	Torpedo and Signalling Corps.	Infantry ...	Total ...	Colonel, Brevet.	Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors and Brevet-Majors.	Captains.	Medical Officers.	Chaplains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Quartermasters.	Adjutants, Pay and Quarter-masters.	Regimental Sergeant-Majors.	Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeants.	Colour-Sergeants and Sergeants.	Orderly-Room Clerks.	Bugle and Trumpet Majors.	Sergeant-Majors.	Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Totals.
Permanent Staff... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medical and Honorary Staff.	...	...	I	I	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Artillery ... ...	...	...	I	I	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineers ... ...	...	...	I	I	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Torpedo and Signalling Corps.	...	...	I	I	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Infantry ... ...	...	I	3	6	30	5	3	42	32	2	4	4	4	...	4	4	5	7	6	3	5	5	...	7	39	101	2,386	
Total	I	1	6	10	39	5	3	42	32	2	4	4	4	...	4	4	5	7	6	3	5	5	...	7	39	101	639		

No. 214.—Reserves: Distribution of Reserve Forces, on the 31st December, 1886.

Distribution.																				
				Honorary Colonel.	Lieutenant- Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Medical Officers.	Adjutants, Pay and Quarter- masters.	Permanent Staff.	Sergeant- Majors.	Battery Sergeant- Majors, and Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Trumpeters and Buglers.	Privates, &c.	Total.	
Infantry	...	...	...	...	3	I	29	29	25	...	3	3	25	61	65	56	1,820	2,120
Cavalry	...	...	...	...	I	...	I	9	7	7	...	I	...	12	10	7	341	396
Artillery	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	3	...	...	...	3	12	16	4	138	183
Medical Staff	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Total	...	...	...	I	3	2	42	39	35	4	3	4	28	85	91	67	2,299	2,703

No. 215.—Naval Brigade: Distribution of the Naval Brigade, on the 31st December, 1886.

Corps or Company.			Captain Commanding Brigade, Sydney.	Com- manders.	Lieu- tenants Command- ing Com- panies.	Sub- Lieu- tenants.	Medical Officers.	Clerk and Account- ant.	Warrant and Petty Officers.	Midship- men and Cadets.	A.B.'s.	Gunnery In- structors.	Total.
Sydney	...	...	I	2	6	7	3	I	24	28	486	2	560
Newcastle	...	...	...	I	I	I	I	...	4	2	96	I	107
Total	...	...	I	3	7	8	4	I	28	30	582	3	667

No. 216.—General Total of the Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1886.

Distribution.							Number of Officers and Men.
Permanent Military Force	...	...	...	...	...	...	406
Volunteer Force	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,353
Reserves	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,703
Naval Brigade	...	...	...	...	...	...	667
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,129

No. 217.—Electors and Voters for Aldermen.

		Electors on Roll.	Voters at last Annual Election.
City of Sydney	...	7,946	9,844
Boroughs	...	56,121	11,110
Municipal Districts	...	32,349	7,083
General Total	...	88,470	*18,193

* In 27 cases there were no contests.

No. 218.—Annual and Capital Value of Ratable Property in the Municipalities of the Colony during the years 1882–86.

Municipalities	1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.	
	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.
City of Sydney	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
...	1,490,357	29,807,140	1,671,493	36,772,840	1,799,793	39,595,440	1,850,214	40,704,700	1,905,888	41,929,520
Suburbs of Sydney	...	1,314,919	19,749,107	1,449,947	20,676,070	1,690,109	23,046,854	1,935,884	29,410,787	2,289,685
Country Municipalities	...	1,064,560	11,697,199	1,266,502	14,425,195	1,524,218	17,661,067	1,713,578	21,828,805	1,727,951
	3,869,836	61,253,446	4,387,942	71,874,105	5,014,120	80,303,361	5,499,676	91,944,292	5,923,524	96,547,968

NOTE.—The annual value is that at which the property in the various districts was assessed for Municipal purposes.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS.

No. 219.—Number of Electors on the Rolls of the several Electoral Districts of the Colony, and the Number of Votes Recorded at the General Election in 1887.

Electorates.						Number of Members selected.	Number of Electors on the Roll.	Number of Persons who voted. (Not including informal votes.)	Number of Persons who recorded informal votes.	Total number of Persons who voted.
Albury	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,447	876	18	894
Argyle	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,759	1,712	11	1,723
Balmain	...	...	...	...	...	3	7,900	4,532	108	4,640
Balranald	...	...	...	...	...	2	4,049	†1,546	43	1,589
Bathurst	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,863	1,290	18	1,308
Bogan, The	...	...	...	...	...	2	4,876	2,340	19	2,359
Boorowa	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,103	*.....	.....	.....
Bourke	...	...	...	...	...	2	4,431	2,026	21	2,047
Braidwood	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,501	916	23	939
Camden	...	...	...	...	...	2	4,977	3,028	58	3,086
Canterbury	...	...	...	...	...	4	12,645	6,616	160	6,776
Carcoar	...	...	...	...	...	2	3,514	1,940	.....	1,940
Clarence, The	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,951	1,159	13	1,172
Central Cumberland	...	...	...	...	...	3	7,882	3,973	67	4,040
Durham	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,491	1,020	30	1,050
Eden	...	...	...	...	...	2	3,289	*.....	.....	.....
Forbes	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,409	1,257	16	1,273
Glebe, The	...	...	...	...	...	2	3,256	2,364	84	2,448
Glen Innes	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,832	1,171	20	1,191
Gloucester	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,638	956	14	970
Goulburn	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,187	*.....	.....	.....
Grafton	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,068	*.....	.....	.....
Grenfell	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,597	809	15	824
Gundagai	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,614	1,267	19	1,286
Gunnedah	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,047	983	47	1,030
Gwydir	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,174	*.....	.....	.....
Hartley	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,220	1,381	30	1,411
Hastings and Manning	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,933	1,613	15	1,628
Hawkesbury, The...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,283	1,637	38	1,675
Hume	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,606	*.....	.....	.....
Hunter	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,403	*.....	.....	.....
Hunter, The Upper	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,871	1,631	6	1,637
Illawarra	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,873	1,687	29	1,716
Inverell	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,049	1,270	21	1,291
Kiama	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,621	*.....	.....	.....
Macleay, The	...	...	...	...	...	1	3,032	1,629	31	1,660
Macquarie, East	2	2,805	1,253	11	1,264
Macquarie, West	1	1,109	704	8	712

* Not contested.

† Approximate.

VOTERS.

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No. 219—continued.

Electorates.	Number of Members elected.	Number of Electors on the Roll.	Number of Persons who voted. (Not including informal votes.)	Number of Persons who recorded informal votes.	Total number of Persons who voted.
Maitland, East	...	1,161	*.....	.....	.....
Maitland, West	...	1,633	*.....	.....	.....
Molong	...	1,867	*.....	.....	.....
Monaro	2	3,109	1,720	12	1,732
Morpeth	1	1,250	929	12	941
Mudgee	3	3,933	2,191	40	2,231
Murray, The	2	2,879	1,351	26	1,377
Murrumbidgee, The	3	7,936	3,183	31	3,214
Namoi, The	1	2,517	1,173	20	1,193
Nepean, The	1	1,862	1,384	21	1,405
Newcastle	2	5,160	3,846	44	3,890
New England	2	3,908	2,077	31	2,108
Newtown	3	6,123	3,389	57	3,446
Northumberland	3	5,482	4,046	71	4,117
Orange	2	2,684	1,836	21	1,857
Paddington	3	7,742	5,008	151	5,159
Parramatta	1	2,046	*.....	.....	.....
Patrick's Plains	1	1,737	*.....	.....	.....
Queanbeyan	1	2,608	1,244	20	1,264
Redfern	4	8,592	4,950	103	5,053
Richmond, The	2	5,179	2,801	27	2,828
St. Leonards	2	5,283	*.....	.....	.....
Shoalhaven	1	2,166	1,651	15	1,666
Sydney, East	4	10,888	6,820	63	6,883
Sydney, South	4	9,620	6,476	126	6,602
Sydney, West	4	11,523	7,240	189	7,423
Tamworth	2	3,067	1,752	32	1,784
Tenterfield	1	2,326	1,022	27	1,049
Tumut	1	1,744	1,269	26	1,295
Wellington	1	1,342	850	16	866
Wentworth	2	5,444	1,545	†38	1,583
Wollombi	1	1,912	1,041	17	1,058
Yass Plains	1	1,953	1,225	22	1,247
Young	2	3,425	2,182	24	2,206
Total	124	256,406	128,787	2,275	131,062
Total Uncontested Seats (14 Electorates)	17	30,178	.....	.....	.....
Total Contested Seats (58 Electorates)...	107	226,228	128,787	2,275	131,062
Grand Total	124	256,406	128,787	2,275	131,062

* Not contested.

† Approximate

PATENTS.

No. 220.—Total Receipts and Expenditure under the Copyright Act of 1879.

Year.							Registrations.	Receipts.	Expenditure.
								£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1879 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	28 11 0	100 0 0
1880 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	202	52 2 0	200 0 0
1881 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	35 2 0	211 18 6
1882 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	27 14 0	210 13 9
1883 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	26 3 0	200 10 0
1884 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	181	47 15 0	216 7 0
1885 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	40 3 0	203 16 1
1886 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	41 2 0	200 5 0
Grand Totals ...							1,071	298 12 0	1,543 10 4

No. 221.—Number of Letters of Registration and Assignments thereof for Inventions or Improvements registered up to the end of 1886.

Year.	Registrations.			Year.	Registrations.		
	Patents.	Assignments.	Total.		Patents.	Assignments.	Total.
1855 ...	.....	.....	3	1872 ...	43	5	48
1856 ...	.....	.....	1	1873 ...	43	6	49
1857 ...	.....	.....	1	1874 ...	39	21	60
1858 ...	.....	.....	10	1875 ...	34	16	50
1859 ...	.....	.....	11	1876 ...	44	18	62
1860 ...	.....	.....	10	1877 ...	62	27	89
1861 ...	.....	.....	13	1878 ...	45	19	64
1862 ...	.....	.....	14	1879 ...	57	16	73
1863 ...	18	4	22	1880 ...	89	23	112
1864 ...	15	2	17	1881 ...	113	13	126
1865 ...	15	5	20	1882 ...	129	21	150
1866 ...	20	5	25	1883 ...	149	24	173
1867 ...	20	4	24	1884 ...	183	29	212
1868 ...	21	2	23	1885 ...	161	27	188
1869 ...	27	5	32	1886 ...	203	31	234
1870 ...	32	4	36	Total ...	*1,589	*332	†1,984
1871 ...	27	5	32				

* From 1863 only.

† Total from 1855.

No. 222.—Lands Alienated and Unalienated in each County of the Colony on the 31st December, 1886.

Counties.	Area Alienated.	Area Unalienated.	Counties.	Area Alienated.	Area Unalienated.
OLD SETTLED DISTRICTS.	Acre.	Acre.	OTHER DISTRICTS— <i>continued.</i>	Acre.	Acre.
Argyle ...	447,497	801,783	Buckland ...	408,240	647,660
Bathurst ...	536,295	654,105	Buller ...	8,921	898,159
Bligh ...	286,917	790,203	Burnett ...	171,507	1,116,493
Brisbane ...	485,853	1,014,467	Cadell ...	285,751	277,449
Camden ...	477,472	1,002,848	Caira ...	322,833	1,259,267
Cook ...	185,133	865,027	Canbelego ...	6,557	1,529,443
Cumberland ...	511,725	403,155	Clarke ...	13,125	928,955
Durham ...	927,799	427,401	Clarence ...	85,871	753,569
Georgiana ...	445,443	786,077	Clarendon ...	197,230	740,170
Gloucester ...	750,507	1,143,893	Clive ...	24,219	969,061
Hunter ...	89,389	1,226,451	Clyde ...	87,997	1,785,923
King ...	180,662	959,338	Cooper ...	469,272	1,322,728
Macquarie ...	195,473	1,330,287	Courallie ...	263,469	1,004,051
Murray ...	435,206	1,002,034	Cowley ...	21,861	715,419
Northumberland ...	518,990	980,650	Cowper ...	18,168	2,398,472
Phillip ...	152,169	882,881	Culgoa ...	4,911	1,520,849
Roxburgh ...	201,330	770,830	Cunningham ...	118,019	1,349,501
St. Vincent ...	364,890	1,368,870	Dampier ...	34,774	979,286
Wellington ...	245,840	814,160	Darling ...	66,783	854,817
Westmoreland ...	117,399	1,142,201	Delalah ...	880	1,320,080
Total ...	7,555,989	18,366,661	Denham ...	60,342	766,498
OTHER DISTRICTS.			Denison ...	189,932	610,068
Arrawatta ...	116,843	1,234,837	Dowling ...	50,040	1,285,320
Asburnham ...	83,227	1,422,053	Drake ...	71,907	839,453
Auckland ...	88,670	1,078,690	Dudley ...	27,346	949,654
Baradine ...	43,264	1,298,176	Evelyn ...	1,356	2,209,244
Barrona ...	3,877	1,358,043	Ewenmar ...	66,644	1,142,356
Benarba ...	106,369	1,603,631	Farnell ...	1,900	2,120,020
Beresford ...	66,213	834,917	Finch ...	89,650	2,552,270
Bland ...	181,647	1,405,553	Fitzgerald ...	2,980	1,563,740
Blaxland ...	45,740	2,521,850	Fitzroy ...	16,313	823,367
Booroondarra ...	4,030	1,451,970	Flinders ...	18,719	1,872,481
Bourke ...	162,365	1,056,195	Forbes ...	58,601	832,289
Boyd ...	534,060	408,020	Franklin ...	150,408	748,152
Buckleuch ...	35,575	804,105	Gipps ...	196,364	1,377,196
			Gordon ...	47,550	884,282
			Gough ...	148,455	1,052,145

ALIENATED LANDS.

No. 222—*continued.*

Counties.	*Area Alienated.	Area Unalienated.	Counties.	*Area Alienated.	Area Unalienated.
OTHER DISTRICTS— <i>continued.</i>	Acres.	Acres.	OTHER DISTRICTS— <i>continued.</i>	Acres.	Acres.
Goulburn ...	159,253	721,387	Rankin ...	... 4,632	2,525,548
Gowen ...	75,061	1,043,659	Richmond ...	... 62,689	633,631
Gregory ...	252,487	1,908,093	Robinson ...	... 5,208	1,942,792
Gresham ...	8,434	759,566	Rous ...	... 145,600	1,236,800
Gundabooka ...	11,240	1,494,040	Sandon ...	... 178,969	711,911
Harden ...	158,550	851,930	Selwyn ...	... 49,802	1,117,558
Hardinge ...	45,078	1,019,882	Stapylton ...	... 149,515	1,437,685
Howes ...	31,827	992,173	Sturt ...	... 567,159	429,321
Hume ...	411,301	541,029	Taila ...	... 36,568	1,642,792
Inglis ...	49,250	442,270	Tandora ...	... 1,055	1,330,145
Irrara ...	9,321	2,663,319	Tara ...	... 27,365	1,477,915
Jamieson ...	131,530	1,245,470	Thouleannia ...	... 846	910,514
Kennedy ...	13,522	1,054,318	Tongowoko ...	... 1,488	1,657,392
Kilfera ...	16,049	1,018,191	Townsend ...	... 1,348,445	760,995
Killara ...	6,845	1,692,995	Ularara ...	... 2,350	1,236,690
Landsborough ...	4,497	1,183,343	Urana ...	... 1,045,256	716,124
Leichhardt ...	207,556	1,902,124	Vernon ...	... 98,286	939,024
Lincoln ...	54,635	1,315,605	Wakool ...	... 798,249	1,034,711
Livingstone ...	9,089	2,335,861	Waljeers ...	... 173,170	1,099,150
Manara ...	28,365	2,527,155	Wallace ...	... 60,800	1,301,120
Menindie ...	5,720	1,509,800	Waradgery ...	... 547,891	1,299,269
Mitchell ...	174,855	716,025	Wellesley ...	... 145,070	797,010
Monteagle ...	69,812	814,668	Wentworth ...	... 54,304	2,178,016
Mootwinge ...	4,312	2,187,048	Werunda ...	... 2,180	1,912,700
Mossgiel ...	65,557	2,584,043	White ...	... 8,763	1,260,997
Mouramba ...	6,474	1,502,646	Windeyer ...	... 20,731	1,954,689
Murchison ...	84,702	1,123,608	Woore ...	... 2,900	1,723,060
Nandewar ...	113,902	715,438	Wynyard ...	... 134,161	981,999
Napier ...	70,570	687,190	Yancowinna ...	... 8,317	1,599,363
Narran ...	56,780	2,247,220	Yand ...	... 11,143	2,020,617
Narromine ...	32,163	1,120,117	Yungnulgra ...	... 7,689	1,794,651
Nicholson ...	193,450	1,146,070	Yantara ...	... 3,890	2,074,830
Oxley ...	68,613	692,987	Young ...	... 10,825	1,750,465
Parry ...	379,907	401,453	Total ...	... 14,460,512	155,498,988
Perry ...	19,330	1,803,390			
Poole ...	260	1,351,420	General Total ...	22,016,501	173,865,649
Pottinger ...	426,485	1,231,395	Total area of Colony .....	.....	195,882,150
Raleigh ...	7,631	984,649			

* Land under process of alienation by conditional purchase—viz., 16,164,190 acres, and lands granted without purchase—not included. See Table No. 226.

UNCONDITIONAL SALES.

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No. 223.—Lands Sold otherwise than Conditionally—1876-86.

Year.	Extent of Land Sold.												Total Price.		
	Town Lots.			Suburban Lots.			Country Lots.			Total.					
	a.	r.	p.	a.	r.	p.	a.	r.	p.	a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
1876	...	691	0	0 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,358	2	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,868,009	3 11 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,873,059	1	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,971,292	8	3
1877	...	548	3	1 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,522	2	21 $\frac{1}{4}$	2,148,687	2 36 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,150,759	0	19	2,196,922	4	8
1878	...	710	0	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,586	2	23 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,208,395	3 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,210,692	2	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,441,004	3	1
1879	...	455	1	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	2,049	0	22 $\frac{3}{4}$	474,689	3 13	477,194	1	15	590,368	3	7
1880	...	516	3	38 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,920	2	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	623,674	3 15 $\frac{3}{4}$	626,112	1	38 $\frac{1}{4}$	722,732	17	2
1881	...	623	0	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,769	2	31	1,325,513	3 31 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,328,906	2	39 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,484,897	10	6
1882	...	449	1	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,645	2	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,027,903	2 39 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,029,998	2	35	1,252,596	15	1
1883	...	720	0	21 $\frac{3}{4}$	3,950	1	35 $\frac{1}{4}$	163,784	3 35 $\frac{1}{4}$	168,455	2	12 $\frac{1}{4}$	256,982	2	9
1884	...	658	2	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,861	3	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	290,659	1 25	294,179	3	19	433,338	4	10
1885	...	136	1	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,060	2	21 $\frac{1}{4}$	293,828	0 14	295,025	0	20	446,311	12	6
1886	...	468	3	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,027	3	12 $\frac{1}{4}$	285,541	2 29 $\frac{3}{4}$	288,038	1	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	439,321	11	1

FREE SELECTIONS.

No. 224.—Number of Conditional Purchase Applications received in each district during the year 1886, the Area applied for, and the Amount of Deposit paid thereon.

District.								No. of Applications.	Area applied for.	Deposit Paid.		
										£	s.	d.
Albury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	11,400 2 0	1,157	15	0
Armidale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	28,480 2 20	2,872	0	3
Balranald	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	280 0 0	28	0	0
Bathurst	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	3,462 1 0	346	4	6
Bega	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	5,146 1 0	534	12	6
Berrima	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	7,028 3 0	775	3	6
Bingera	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	3,757 1 0	417	10	6
Bombala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	2,900 0 0	290	0	0
Bourke	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	160 0 0	32	0	0
Braidwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	109	8,224 1 0	845	8	6
Brewarrina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burrowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	21,793 1 37	2,200	10	0
Campbelltown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1,280 0 0	160	0	0
Carcoar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	12,102 2 0	1,210	5	0
Casino	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	10,294 0 0	1,080	8	0
Cassilis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	17,587 0 0	1,817	14	0
Cobar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	200 0 0	20	0	0
Condobolin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	10,378 0 0	1,037	16	0
Cooma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	6,561 0 0	683	2	0
Coonabarabran	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	5,994 3 30	603	9	11
Coonamble	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	38,630 0 0	3,958	14	0
Cootamundra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	16,006 3 0	1,601	13	3
Corowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	14,165 3 27	1,740	10	2
Cowra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	9,603 0 0	1,004	0	0
Deniliquin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	22,430 3 0	2,407	7	6
Dubbo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	152	60,105 0 0	6,207	10	0
Dungog	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	3,884 1 24	404	8	10
Eden	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	6,700 1 0	710	0	6
Forbes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	19,548 0 11	2,029	19	6
Glen Innes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	15,561 2 0	1,604	3	0
Gosford	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	4,375 0 0	568	4	0
Goulburn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176	11,642 3 35	1,203	3	0
Grafton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	174	18,646 2 31	2,335	15	9
Grenfell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	18,480 2 0	1,869	8	6
Gundagai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	4,072 2 15	407	5	3
Gunnedah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	19,429 2 0	2,021	19	0
Gunning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	7,434 2 0	786	16	0
Hay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	34,797 3 0	3,587	19	0
Hillston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	3,317 3 0	335	19	0
Inverell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	7,769 3 37	776	19	6
Kempsey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	179	23,554 3 0	2,602	9	6
Kiama	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lismore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	6,935 0 0	773	11	9
Lithgow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	117	7,821 3 10	802	3	8
Liverpool	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	720 0 0	126	0	0

No. 224—continued.

	District.	No. of Applications.	Area applied for.	Deposit Paid.					
				a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Maitland	566 0 0	56	12	0			
Metropolitan	260 0 0	42	0	0			
Milton	3,648 1 0	386	16	6			
Molong	9,664 1 0	966	8	6			
Moree	43,270 3 30	4,379	1	11			
Moruya	6,353 3 0	662	7	6			
Mudgee	3,294 3 20	329	9	9			
Murrurundi	14,044 2 0	1,446	9	0			
Murwillumbah	11,055 0 0	1,184	5	6			
Muswellbrook	2,811 0 0	281	2	0			
Narrabri	20,559 3 0	2,061	1	6			
Narrandera	14,025 0 0	2,027	18	0			
Newcastle	1,358 0 0	202	12	0			
Nowra	9,828 3 0	1,379	3	6			
Orange	3,268 0 0	326	16	0			
Parkes	17,690 2 0	1,816	16	0			
Parramatta	1,990 0 0	368	0	0			
Paterson	4,237 0 0	463	4	0			
Penrith	2,321 1 0	427	16	0			
Picton	2,464 0 0	284	8	0			
Port Macquarie	8,700 2 0	969	1	0			
Queanbeyan	7,209 1 0	720	18	6			
Raymond Terrace	5,500 1 0	613	0	6			
Rylstone	1,980 0 0	198	0	0			
Scone	13,293 1 0	1,338	16	6			
Singleton	11,419 1 0	1,199	11	0			
Stroud	10,399 0 0	1,095	18	0			
Tamworth	28,876 0 0	3,021	12	0			
Taree	19,672 1 0	2,053	1	6			
Tenterfield	5,825 0 0	640	10	0			
Tumut	19,175 1 20	1,957	12	9			
Urana	8,980 0 0	1,270	13	6			
Wagga Wagga	45,181 3 0	4,816	19	6			
Walcha	21,917 0 0	2,253	14	0			
Walgett	4,196 2 0	419	13	0			
Warialda	7,081 0 0	708	2	0			
Wellington	14,869 0 0	1,550	18	0			
Wentworth	Nil.						
Wilcannia	Nil.						
Windsor	3,134 0 0	459	18	0			
Wollombi	813 2 0	81	7	0			
Wollongong	Nil.						
Yass	5,837 3 0	587	15	6			
Young	11,123 2 0	1,401	4	9			
Total	6,061	954,560	0	27	102,428	15	0

NOTE.—Area confirmed, 688,299 acres.

No. 225.—Number of Acres sold Conditionally in the years 1862 to 1886 inclusive, together with the Amount Realised for Deposit, for Balance of Purchase Money, for Interest, and the Gross Amount Realised, in each year.

Year.	Conditionally Selected.		For Balance of Purchase.							Gross Amount realised.	
	No. of Selections.	Area.	For Deposit.		Balance.		Instalments.		Total.		
	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1862 to 1875...	87,941	8,333,657 0 12	2,083,414 9 9	301,979 16 10	.....	301,979 16 10	383,928 14 2	383,928 14 2	2,779,293 0 9	2,779,293 0 9	2,779,293 0 9
1876...	12,654	1,984,212 0 0	496,053 8 2	68,834 1 5	.....	68,834 1 5	99,328 14 8	99,328 14 8	664,216 4 3	664,216 4 3	664,216 4 3
1877...	12,009	1,699,816 0 0	424,954 0 0	71,852 15 6	.....	71,852 15 6	126,657 8 9	126,657 8 9	623,464 4 3	623,464 4 3	623,464 4 3
1878...	12,602	1,588,247 3 18	398,728 11 1	47,060 8 8	23,774 16 9	70,835 5 5	160,581 1 1	160,581 1 1	630,144 17 7	630,144 17 7	630,144 17 7
1879...	7,540	924,136 1 0	232,285 2 9	37,030 9 7	87,131 5 6	124,161 15 1	171,147 17 11	171,147 17 11	527,594 15 9	527,594 15 9	527,594 15 9
1880...	8,583	1,147,001 2 39	293,112 17 7	41,849 5 11	113,603 1 1	155,452 7 0	204,634 2 7	204,634 2 7	653,199 7 2	653,199 7 2	653,199 7 2
1881...	14,220	2,329,202 0 15	592,965 16 1	92,009 1 9	129,546 17 1	221,555 18 10	253,356 14 0	253,356 14 0	1,067,878 8 11	1,067,878 8 11	1,067,878 8 11
1882...	14,607	2,392,219 3 0	621,617 1 11	109,666 12 5	129,921 0 7	239,587 13 0	287,526 13 9	287,526 13 9	1,148,731 8 8	1,148,731 8 8	1,148,731 8 8
1883...	10,725	1,621,947 3 12	424,968 0 10	58,313 10 4	137,277 8 9	195,590 19 1	310,676 6 7	310,676 6 7	931,235 6 6	931,235 6 6	931,235 6 6
1884...	10,657	1,453,937 0 33	381,550 4 0	61,466 3 5	183,080 19 3	244,547 2 8	326,183 18 9	326,183 18 9	952,281 5 5	952,281 5 5	952,281 5 5
1885...	5,372	1,114,871 3 2	121,436 13 11	68,138 9 2	440,286 8 2	508,424 17 4	151,657 19 7	151,657 19 7	781,519 10 10	781,519 10 10	781,519 10 10
1886...	6,061	954,560 0 27	112,892 9 9	74,503 15 10	514,162 0 0	588,665 15 10	129,978 4 5	129,978 4 5	831,536 10 0	831,536 10 0	831,536 10 0
Total	202,971	25,543,709 18 11	6,183,978 15 10	1,032,704 10 10	1,758,783 17 2	2,791,488 8 0	2,605,657 16 3	2,605,657 16 3	11,581,095 0 1	11,581,095 0 1	11,581,095 0 1

NOTE.—The actual area at end of 1886 for which deeds were issued was 1,304,066 acres; area in process of alienation, 16,164,190 acres; total, 17,468,256 acres. The remaining area was either voided, lapsed, or forfeited.

No. 226.—Area of Land Alienated and Unalienated at the close of the year 1886.

Sold in fee simple, from the first settlement of the Colony—including only that the purchase of which has been completed	...	22,016,501 acres.
Granted without purchase	...	3,104,773 ,,
In process of Alienation under deferred payments	...	16,164,190 ,,
Total	...	41,285,464 ,,
Total Area of the Colony	...	195,882,150 ,,
Total Area Unalienated	...	154,596,686 ,,

ANNUAL LEASES.

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No. 227.—Land held under Annual Lease in the year 1886.

District.							No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.
								a.	r.	p.	£ s. d.
Albury	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	15,920	2	0	180 1 6
Armidale	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	6,875	0	0	36 0 0
Bathurst	...	...	...	...	...	...	545	354,882	0	0	1,501 13 6
Bega	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	317	0	0	2 0 0
Berrima	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	36,195	0	0	136 0 0
Bingera	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	640	0	0	2 0 0
Bombala	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5,479	0	0	26 0 0
Braidwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	95,643	0	0	403 1 6
Burrowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	227	136,912	0	0	618 9 4
Carcoar	...	...	...	...	...	...	563	395,145	0	0	1,610 14 0
Cassilis	...	...	...	...	...	...	598	400,915	3	0	1,507 19 3
Condobolin	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6,170	0	0	28 14 0
Cooma	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	22,630	0	0	200 19 6
Coonabarabran	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	9,075	0	0	36 0 0
Cootamundra	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,150	0	0	4 0 0
Corowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	393	0	0	2 0 0
Cowra	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	38,470	0	0	151 2 0
Deniliquin	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	10,418	3	0	67 4 0
Dubbo	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,920	0	0	6 0 0
Dungog	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2,390	0	0	8 0 0
Eden	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,963	0	0	69 0 0
Forbes	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5,595	0	0	31 19 0
Glen Innes	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	11,223	0	0	46 0 0
Gosford	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,920	0	0	8 0 0
Goulburn	...	...	...	...	...	...	271	165,590	0	0	743 12 5
Grafton	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	50,044	0	0	250 0 0
Gunnedah	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	750	0	0	4 0 0
Gunning	...	...	...	...	...	...	176	110,312	2	0	470 6 0
Hay	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6,969	0	3	26 0 0
Inverell	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4,288	0	0	24 12 5
Kempsey	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8,770	0	0	32 0 0
Lismore	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	7,220	0	0	24 0 0
Lithgow	...	...	...	...	...	...	245	174,697	3	0	666 6 0
Maitland	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,860	0	0	8 0 0

ANNUAL LEASES.

No. 227—*continued.*

District.							No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.		
								a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Milton	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5,760	0	0	21	10	0
Molong	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8,446	0	0	42	18	6
Moree	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3,510	0	0	16	0	0
Moruya	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3,540	0	0	23	0	0
Mudgee	...	...	...	...	...	...	328	202,578	0	0	861	8	0
Murrurundi	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	45,833	0	0	172	0	0
Muswellbrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8,401	0	0	33	10	0
Narrandera...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	335	0	0	2	0	0
Nowra	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	17,226	0	0	101	0	0
Orange	...	...	...	...	...	...	135	94,544	0	0	378	0	0
Paterson	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	43,912	0	0	158	0	0
Penrith	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2,080	0	0	8	0	0
Picton	...	...	...	...	...	...	152	108,507	0	0	402	0	0
Port Macquarie	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	17,190	0	0	56	7	0
Queanbeyan	...	...	...	...	...	...	159	109,282	0	0	424	16	1
Raymond Terrace	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1,920	0	0	6	0	0
Rylstone	...	...	...	...	...	...	191	132,645	0	0	485	15	2
Scone	...	...	...	...	...	...	313	252,411	2	0	1,052	1	11
Singleton	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	24,811	0	0	130	19	5
Stroud	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	122,578	0	0	510	12	6
Tamworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4,132	0	0	20	0	0
Taree	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	13,720	0	0	64	0	0
Tumut	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,060	0	0	16	0	0
Urana	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1,268	1	0	16	15	6
Walcha	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,920	0	0	6	0	0
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	587	432,303	0	0	1,729	18	3
Windsor	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3,977	0	0	14	0	0
Wollombi	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	692	0	0	4	0	0
Yass...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	63,820	0	0	255	0	0
							5,547	3,821,145	0	0	15,933	6	9

Average rate per acre, 1d.; square miles, 5,970.

CONDITIONAL LEASES.

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No. 228.—Land held under Conditional Lease in the year 1886.

District.							No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.		
								a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
Albury	...	...	...	...	...	...	153	102,030	2	0	856	3	11
Armidale	...	...	...	...	...	...	383	213,284	2	0	1,777	7	10
Balranald	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	15,018	3	0	125	3	2
Bathurst	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	16,291	2	0	135	15	3
Bega	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1,750	0	0	15	1	8
Berrima	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2,787	0	0	23	4	6
Bingera	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	27,278	0	0	227	6	4
Bombala	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	34,301	1	0	291	15	5
Bourke	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	53,898	0	0	449	3	0
Braidwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	12,857	3	0	113	5	8
Brewarrina	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	65,954	3	0	549	12	6
Burrowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	44,638	3	0	385	10	7
Camden (See Picton)	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carcoar	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	16,797	3	0	140	7	5
Casino	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	26,069	0	0	217	4	11
Cassilis	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	14,602	1	0	158	19	0
Cobar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8,695	0	0	72	9	2
Condobolin	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	71,186	0	0	725	14	4
Cooma	...	...	...	...	...	...	431	193,129	3	0	1,627	17	4
Coonabarabran	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	49,540	2	0	412	16	9
Coonamble	...	...	...	...	...	...	164	187,601	2	0	1,564	16	11
Cootamundra	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	35,243	2	0	293	13	11
Corowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	14,351	3	0	198	2	10
Cowra	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	16,172	0	0	134	15	4
Deniliquin	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	8,635	2	0	71	19	4
Dubbo	...	...	...	...	...	...	226	265,845	0	0	2,206	7	7
Dungog	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	265	0	0	2	4	2
Eden	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	4,824	3	0	47	5	7
Forbes	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	104,384	3	33	954	8	11
Glen Innes	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	22,786	3	0	189	13	2
Goulburn	...	...	...	...	...	...	193	52,911	3	0	451	11	2
Grafton	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	13,732	3	0	130	13	3
Grenfell	...	...	...	...	...	...	181	162,485	2	0	1,515	0	5
Gundagai	...	...	...	...	...	...	89	47,269	0	0	393	18	2
Gunnedah	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	103,048	3	0	858	14	10
Gunning	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	10,522	2	0	93	9	0
Hay	...	...	...	...	...	...	147	194,174	3	0	1,618	2	7
Hillston	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	83,956	1	0	699	12	10
Inverell	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	103,200	1	0	860	0	1
Kempsey	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4,178	0	0	34	16	4

CONDITIONAL LEASES.

No. 228—continued.

District								No. of Lease.	Area.			Rent.
								a.	r.	p.	£ s. d.	
Lismore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	890	0	0	7 8 4
Lithgow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	11,443	3	0	95 7 4
Milton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	1,551	3	0	16 8 10
Molong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	62,897	0	0	524 2 10
Moree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	219,451	2	0	2,175 6 9
Moruya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2,703	0	0	26 7 8
Mudgee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	7,681	2	0	64 0 3
Murrurundi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	35,524	0	0	296 5 8
Muswellbrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	451	0	0	3 15 2
Narrabri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	207	277,452	0	0	2,297 2 0
Narrandera	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	37,728	0	0	314 8 0
Newcastle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	229	3	0	1 18 4
Nowra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	240	0	0	3 0 0
Orange	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2,494	0	0	20 15 8
Parkes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	89,930	0	0	872 5 0
Paterson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	256	0	0	2 2 8
Picton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,080	0	0	9 0 0
Port Macquarie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	728	0	0	6 3 0
Queanbeyan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	35,177	3	0	293 18 10
Raymond Terrace	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	343	0	0	2 17 2
Rylstone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1,620	0	0	13 10 0
Scone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	8,630	1	0	71 18 5
Singleton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,870	0	0	15 11 8
Stroud	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	4,882	0	0	40 13 8
Tamworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206	122,401	3	0	1,020 0 4
Taree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2,420	0	0	20 3 4
Tenterfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92	53,922	1	0	449 7 1
Tumut	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123	59,167	0	0	498 7 6
Urana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	24,390	0	0	203 5 0
Wagga Wagga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	149	137,655	2	0	1,147 2 11
Walcha	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	42,333	0	0	352 15 7
Walgett	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	67,720	0	0	564 7 2
Warialda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	81,714	0	0	680 19 0
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	20,899	0	0	174 12 9
Wentworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	59,615	0	0	496 15 10
Wilcannia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	32,645	0	0	272 0 10
Yass	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	9,316	1	0	92 0 4
Young	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	29,834	3	0	286 4 11
								5,280	3,954,988	3	33	34,056 15 0

Average rate per acre, 2*l*_{sd}.

No. 229.—Amount of Revenue derived from Lands under the "Lands Alienation Act of 1861" and "Crown Lands Act of 1884," during the year 1886.

Description.	No. of Lots.	Area sold. a. r. p.	Average price per Acre. £ s. d.	Total Amount of Sales. £ s. d.	Amount received. £ s. d.
Sold at Auction—					
Town	1,014	421 3 14	49 19 2½	21,074 16 0	
Suburban... ...	517	1,843 0 32	10 5 5½	18,933 2 3	103,704 18 5
Country	793	58,087 2 21	1 14 7½	100,627 6 5	
Improved lots sold to owners of improvements	1,957	227,573 3 32	1 6 0	296,249 15 0	296,249 15 0
Reclaimed lands sold at appraised price...	16	2 3 11½	298 0 0	841 0 0	841 0 0
Proceeds of sales of unnecessary roads...	8	61 3 21	2 15 6	171 14 1	171 14 1
Sales without competition in special cases	7	37 3 2	2 19 11	113 5 4	113 5 4
Rescission of reservation from water frontage	4	9 0 37	141 19 5	1,310 12 0	1,310 12 0
Sold conditionally ...	6,061	*954,560 0 27	.....	1,128,924 17 6	112,892 9 9
General Total ...	10,377	1,242,598 1 37½	.....	1,568,246 8 7	515,283 14 7
Balances received on Conditional Purchases	...	...	...	...	588,665 15 10
Interest , , ,	...	...	...	...	129,978 4 5
Total Amount received	...	...	...	£	1,233,927 14 10

* Area applied for: Area confirmed, 688,299 acres.

No. 230.—Amount of Revenue derived from Lands under the "Crown Lands Occupation Act of 1861" and "Crown Lands Act of 1884," during the year 1886.

Number.			Estimated Area.	Rent and Assessment received.	
				Square Miles.	£ s. d.
19	Pastoral Leases not converted under Act of 1884	...	510	559 16 0	
1,450	Occupation Licenses	...	100,821	102,140 0 9	
1,589	Pastoral Leases	...	106,287	136,481 7 8	
5,547	Annual Leases	...	5,970	15,933 6 9	
233	Homestead Leases...	...	3,556	15,172 7 4	
5,280	Conditional Leases...	...	6,180	34,056 15 0	
	Total...	...	223,324	304,343 13 6	

No. 231.—Nominal Rates of Wages of various Trades, &c., during 1886.

The Rates given are those accepted by the various Trade and Labour organizations.

Stonemasons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11/- per day of 8 hours.
Bricklayers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11/- " "
Plasterers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11/- " "
Quarrymen	...	...	...	...	...	...	7/- to 10/-	" "
Carpenters and joiners	...	...	...	...	...	...	9/-	" "
Painters ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9/-	" "
Labourers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8/-	" "
Plumbers, gasfitters, and galvanized-iron workers	...	...	...	...	...	...	10/- to 11/-	" "
Slaters ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10/- to 12/-	" "
Iron-moulders	...	...	...	...	...	...	8/- to 9/4	" "
Boiler-makers and iron shipbuilders	...	...	...	...	...	...	10/-	" "
Engineers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9/- to 12/-	" "
Labourers working with engineers, boiler-makers, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5/- to 7/-	" "
Shipwrights	...	...	...	...	...	...	11/- to 12/-	" "
Coachmakers, builders, wheelwrights, smiths, painters, and trimmers	...	...	...	...	...	...	6/- to 10/-	" "
Wheelwrights and blacksmiths ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35/- to 60/- per week, of 9 hours per day.	
Farriers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35/- to 55/-	8 "
Pattern-makers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8/- to 10/-	per day of 8 hours.
Brass founders and finishers	...	...	...	...	...	...	8/- to 10/-	" "
Tinsmiths and sheet-iron workers	...	...	...	...	...	...	7/- to 9/-	" "
Ironworkers (Eskbank)	...	...	...	...	...	...	8d. to 1/- per hour.	
Saddle, collar, and harness makers	...	...	...	...	...	...	30/- to 50/-	per week of 54 hours.
Sailmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	30/- to 50/-	" "
Tailors ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50/- to 60/-	per week, piece work.
Pressers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50/- to 60/-	" "
Silk hatters	...	...	...	...	...	...	50/- to 70/-	" "
Upholsterers	...	...	...	...	...	...	10/- to 12/-	per day.
Compositors	...	...	...	...	...	...	25/- to 50/-	per week, of 48 hours; or piecework, 1/1 per thousand day, and 1/2 per thousand night, work.
Coopers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40/- to 50/-	per week, 1/- to 1/3 per hour.
Coal-miners	...	...	...	...	...	...	8d. to 1/3	per hour.
Coal lumpers and trimmers	...	...	...	...	...	...	1/3 per hour day, 1/6 per hour night work.	
Wharf labourers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1/-	per hour.
Bootmakers, &c. (factory hands)	...	...	...	...	...	...	25/- to 55/-	per week.
Cooks and pastry-cooks ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30/- to 60/-	" "
Drapers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30/- to 70/-	" "
Furniture-makers, (cabinet-makers, French-polishers)	...	...	...	...	...	...	25/- to 50/-	" "
Tobacco operatives	...	...	...	...	...	...	25/- to 50/-	" "
Gas-stokers	...	...	...	...	...	...	8d. to 1/-	per hour, 8-hour shifts.
Brick and pipe makers	10½d. to 1/-	per hour.
Sawyers and mill-workers	8d. to 1/3	" "
Butchers	8d. to 1/-	" "

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YEAR.	a POPULATION AT END OF YEAR			BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	MAR-RIAGES.	ARRIVALS BY SEA.	DEPAR-TURES BY SEA.	SCHOOLS.		RAILWAYS.			TELEGRAPHHS.			POST OFFICE.				MANU-FAC-TORIES AND WORKS.		HANDS EMPLOYED IN MANUFAC-TORIES, &c.	NUMBER OF ACRES UNDER CROP.	LIVE STOCK.		COAL RAISED.		GOLD COINED AT MINT.	WOOL EXPORTED.		LAND SOLD.		SHIPPING.		b VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS.	b VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS.	PUBLIC REVENUE.	PUBLIC EXPENDI-TURE.	COIN IN CIRCULATION.	DEPOSITS IN BANKS.	YEAR.				
	PERSONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.						NUMBER OF SCHOOLS.	NUMBER OF SCHOLARS.	MILES OPEN FOR TRAFFIC.	Net EARNINGS.	CAPITAL EXPENDED ON LINES OPEN.	MILES OF WIRE.	NUMBER OF TELEGRAMS.	No. of OFFICERS.	No. of LETTERS.	No. of NEWSPAPERS.	No. of PACKETS.	HORSES.	HORNED CATTLE.	SHEEP.	PIGS.	QUANTITY.	VALUE.	QUANTITY.	CONDITIONALLY.	UNCON-DITIONALLY.	AMOUNT ACTUALLY RECEIVED.	QUANTITY.	VALUE.	QUANTITY.	Value.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.									
	BIRDS.	DEATHS.	MAR-RIAGES.	ARRIVALS BY SEA.	DEPAR-TURES BY SEA.																																									
1860	348,546	199,426	149,120	14,233	6,562	2,945	23,031	6,847	798	34,767	70	11,841	1,422,672	287	4,230,761	3,668,783	83,736	567	260,798	251,497	2,408,586	6,119,163	180,662	368,862	£226,493	£1,846,552	12,809,362	1,123,699	109,216	155,316	1,424	427,835	1,438	431,484	£7,519,285	£5,072,020	3,880,230	1,308,925	£1,321,724	£2,946,613	£5,721,690	1860	
1861	357,978	201,574	156,404	14,681	5,343	3,222	13,421	13,200	849	37,874	73	13,817	1,536,032	1,616	74,204	340	4,369,463	3,384,245	105,338	601	297,575	233,220	2,271,923	5,615,054	146,091	342,067	£218,820	£1,817,437	12,745,891	1,396,426	189,936	222,594	1,327	366,236	1,391	379,460	£6,391,555	£5,594,839	4,017,630	1,421,831	£1,540,005	£2,947,719	£5,637,368	1861
1862	366,721	204,199	162,522	15,434	6,524	3,326	15,386	15,079	925	42,211	97	35,146	1,907,807	2,539	104,660	368	5,092,545	3,460,936	170,782	645	302,138	273,389	2,620,383	6,145,651	125,541	476,522	£305,234	£2,775,692	13,482,139	1,283,818	357,281	88,086	216,988	1,493	454,837	1,568	467,356	£9,334,645	£7,102,562	5,802,980	1,557,639	£1,608,810	£2,963,116	£6,260,871	1862
1863	377,712	207,560	170,152	15,679	6,653	3,314	15,205	13,796	976	46,810	124	27,073	2,466,950	2,683	124,638	397	5,662,839	4,554,739	276,814	910	307,035	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	135,899	433,889	£236,230	£1,876,962	14,791,849	1,262,274	259,370	96,679	192,113	1,494	479,827	1,603	511,373	£8,319,576	£6,936,839	5,802,980	1,534,187	£2,064,299	£2,783,284	£6,399,407	1863
1864	390,864	213,365	177,499	16,881	6,445	3,480	20,667	17,448	1,022	48,427	143	43,938	2,631,790	2,847	130,500	419	5,963,562	4,600,077	287,540	960	318,854	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154	549,012	£270,171	£2,880,668	25,827,917	2,294,615	165,617	68,198	112,719	1,849	607,168	1,842	647,057	£10,135,708	£9,037,832	6,073,180	1,661,805	£1,862,245	£3,025,761	£6,330,196	1864
1865	409,147	223,254	185,893	17,283	6,596	3,578	26,266	18,154	1,069	53,453	143	57,106	2,746,373	2,989	138,785	435	6,328,353	4,689,858	249,904	1,017	378,254	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901	585,525	£274,303	£2,859,562	29,858,791	2,288,560	151,540	110,307	213,241	1,912	635,888	2,120	690,294	£10,635,507	£9,563,818	5,749,630	1,899,468	£1,760,516	£3,009,523	£6,571,972	1865
1866	428,813	235,116	193,697	16,950	7,361	3,462	25,528	15,093	1,155	59,594	143	62,305	2,786,094	3,346	143,523	455	6,678,371	4,513,185	249,939	1,119	451,225	278,487	1,771,809	11,562,155	137,915	774,238	£324,049	£2,955,732	36,980,685	2,830,348	358,652	117,889	261,590	2,099	730,354	2,259	784,381	£9,403,192	£9,913,839	6,418,030	2,012,079	£2,125,414	£3,198,207	£6,752,115	1866
1867	444,709	243,131	201,578	18,317	8,631	3,426	19,972	13,450	1,180	63,183	175	71,748	3,282,320	3,567	130,447	477	6,748,356	3,897,905	189,297	1,146	413,164	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	173,168	770,012	£342,655	£2,492,853	21,708,902	1,711,322	232,176	138,906	264,660	1,868	646,970	2,104	726,721	£7,624,812	£7,077,759	6,917,630	2,012,042	£2,249,521	£3,552,399	£6,833,081	1867
1868	463,188	254,003	209,185	18,485	7,225	3,736	26,564	18,679	1,254	66,835	225	80,158	4,060,950	4,385	132,872	487	6,555,890	3,580,332	116,987	1,446	434,756	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901	954,231	£417,809	£2,345,728	25,721,632	1,879,751	239,517	151,829	265,250	2,073	724,193	2,218	776,449	£9,240,414	£7,192,904	8,564,830	2,107,157	£2,646,303	£4,114,549	£7,425,354	1868
1869	481,448	263,899	217,549	19,243	6,691	3,799	19,756	13,717	1,304	71,523	279	88,613	4,681,329	5,053	145,370	521	7,143,634	3,593,553	158,034	1,556	.....	482,324	280,304	1,795,904	14,989																					